WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Saturday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds, partly cloudy and mild, with showers.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Columbia—North of the Yukon.
Capitol—Under the Red Robe.
Playhouse—The Private Secretary.
Royal—The Song of Love.
Dominion—Girl Shy.

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BELLINGHAM IS WATCHING WONDER PARADE TO-DAY

Victoria Has Fine Float Representative of City

Mayor Invites Residents to Come Here in Three Weeks

Bellingham, May 2—The fifth annual Tulip Festival reached its climax to-day with a street parade in which the Tulip was to be featured. A caravan of 300 or 400 automobiles from British Columbia was due at noon, escorted to the city from Blaine by State highway patrolmen.

There were nearly 100 floats and decorated automobiles and about 3,000 persons, including 2,000 costumed school children in line in the parade.

Miss Marjorie McIntyre, a Normal School student, was crowned "Queen of Tulip Town" at elaborate ceremonies at the State Armory last evening.

CIVIC PARTY

Mayor Hayward and Mrs. Hayward Alderman Andros, and Mrs. Andros, Alderman Marchant and Mrs. Marchant, Alderman Sangster and Mrs. Sangster composed the delegation from the city to the Bellingham Tulip Festival.

From the executive committee of the Victoria Day Celebration were G. W. Allison, C. B. Sylvester, secretary, and Mrs. Witty.

From the band committee of the celebration there was a committee bearing tickets for the ball here, which were disposed of to the prospective visitors here on May 23 and 24.

Others noticed from Victoria were J. O. Cameron, J. W. Gibson and L. D. Chetham.

Those associated with the city float went over yesterday.

In the parade to-day is the Vancouver City float, "Captain Vancouver in the Discovery," the ship in which the circumnavigation of Vancouver Island was accomplished in the eighteenth century. This float will be brought here for the Victoria Day celebration. It is copied from the photograph of a model in the British Museum. The design shows a phantom ship on a sea of tulips.

INVITES PEOPLE HERE

Mayor Hayward will represent the city at the official dinner this evening at Bellingham. To the Bellingham Herald representative on arrival he said:

"It is with most pleasant memories of your last Tulip Festival that I am again in Bellingham. For the past few weeks I have kept in touch with all arrangements for this Festival.

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CHURCH INSISTS ON DR. DAVIES' REAPPOINTMENT

Want Centennial Left Open if Conference Membership Refused

Dr. Sipprell Questions Status of New Members

Whether the British Columbia Methodist Conference reverses the decision it made last year in declining to accept the Rev. Dr. Clem Davies as a member or not, Centennial Methodist Church will seek his services for another twelve months, it was decided at the annual meeting held last night. Clarence Deaville, who was elected as delegate to the conference in Vancouver May 14, was given instructions that if Dr. Davies was not admitted to membership of the conference the same action should be taken as last year, no appointment made and the church left to name its own minister.

The financial report presented by Clarence Deaville, treasurer, showed receipts amounting to $13,387 from all sources during the year compared with $7,800 the previous year. Mr. Deaville was again elected treasurer. Robert Beard was named delegate to the Victoria District Conference.

Due to Dr. Davies non-admission to the membership of the B.C. Conference Dr. W. J. Sipprell presided so that there should be no dispute on the legality of the meeting and a sensation was caused when Dr. Sipprell cast doubts as to the legality of accepting as members of the Methodist Church 295 persons who had been accepted by Dr. Davies during the year. As Dr. Davies was not appointed by the conference he

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W. R. Wilson Buys Lieut.-Governor's Vancouver Home

Vancouver, May 2.—W. R. Wilson, well-known mining operator, has purchased the residence on Shaughnessy Heights of Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol. The price is in the neighborhood of $40,000 cash. There is about an acre and two-thirds of ground.

Seventy-Nine Bodies Are Taken From Mine in U.S.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 2.—Thirty bodies were found by rescue workers in North Entry No. 8 of the Benwood Mine of the Wheeling Steel Corporation last night and to-day, accounting for 79 of the 111 miners who were entombed by an explosion last Monday morning.

In Honduras Now General Tosta is The President

Washington, May 2.—A state of peace now obtains in Honduras and all factions have definitely accepted the selection of General Tosta as Provisional President, Sumner Welles, special representative of President Coolidge, reported to-day to the State Department.

General Tosta took the oath of office April 30.

THORNTON AGREES TO START EARLY INQUIRY INTO ELEVATOR PLANS

Heads of the Canadian National Railways will start immediate investigations into the plans for the erection of grain elevators on the Ogden Point Docks here, Premier Oliver announced to-day, following lengthy conferences with Sir Henry Thornton, President of the National lines, in Ottawa.

"I am very hopeful as a result of my talk with Sir Henry," Mr. Oliver stated. "The elevator scheme is a practical proposition and will be investigated as such by the heads of the Canadian National Railways. It may take some time to get plans under way but everything is being done to press the project forward."

The Premier added that Sir Henry had called A. E. Warren, General Manager for the Western Region, into conference on the grain elevator scheme. Sir Henry, he said, would also talk the project over with Henry C. Hall, of Victoria, who is in the East now.

"Sir Henry told me," the Premier remarked, "that his railway could bring grain as cheaply to Victoria as to Vancouver on account of the cost of taking cars into Vancouver over the New Westminster bridge. For this reason the grain elevator scheme appears absolutely practical and should appeal to the Canadian National management. No stone will be left unturned in our efforts to get elevators built here.

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League Assembly To Meet in Geneva On September 1

Geneva, May 2.—The League of Nations has officially announced the convocation of the fifth annual meeting of the Assembly of the League for September 1 in Geneva.

Reduction in armaments, including the pact of mutual guarantees and the arms traffic control conventions, have a foremost place on the Assembly's programme.

PENSION CHAIRMAN

Ottawa, May 2—J. J. Dennis, member for Joliette, Quebec, was to-day elected chairman of the House Committee on Soldiers' Pensions.

PIONEER KILLED BY FALLING TREE

Logging Accident Takes Life of Frederick Beaumont of Shawnigan Lake

Word has been received by friends in Victoria of the tragic death of Frederick Beaumont, fifty-one, formerly one of the best known residents of Shawnigan Lake district, in a logging accident on Tuesday last. Mr. Beaumont was working with a gang of men felling a tree which, in falling, crashed against dead wood and occasioned his death.

The funeral will take place from Whidden's funeral premises, Duncan, on Saturday at 1.30 p.m., interment to be in the Duncan Municipal Cemetery. The late Frederick Beaumont was a son of the late William Beaumont of Maple Bay, and was one of the first settlers to be born in the white settlement at the lake. He was universally known and highly esteemed. A brother, Edward Beaumont, lies ill in a Victoria hospital.

Stated Japan to Have Submersible Cruiser in Navy

London, May 2.—The Japanese Admiralty recently bought from Professor Oswald Flamm, German naval designer, his plan for a giant submersible cruiser, according to a report quoted by the diplomatic correspondent of The Daily Telegraph. The writer adds that Japan is believed here to have ordered the building of one of these craft to displace 4,500 tons.

IMPORTANT BODY TO CONVENE HERE

Eight Hundred Ministers to Assemble For Conference

Eleventh Assembly of Theological Conference Opens in July

The eleventh annual assembly of the Pacific Coast Theological Conference will meet this year in Victoria during the second week in July. As this is an international and interdenominational conference, meeting in alternate years north and south of the boundary line, and as the conference has not met in Victoria for several years, it will be of much local interest. The Victoria Ministerial Association is making plans to welcome the visiting ministers and to provide such entertainment as will interest the whole conference.

The secretary of the conference, Rev. J. R. Robertson of Vancouver, has sent out the first announcement to about 800 ministers on both sides of the line calling the conference to meet for three days, July 9, 10 and 11, and stating that an excellent theological programme is well under way. Of those on the programme at least one will be from Victoria—the Rev. Robert Connell, who has always been a strong supporter of the conference.

PROMINENT MINISTERS

Of outstanding ministers from various points there is a probability that there will be at the Victoria conference Rev. Prof. Brown of Victoria College, Toronto, who is a brother of Principal Brown of Ryerson College, Vancouver; Principal John MacKay of Manitoba College, Winnipeg; Dr. J. Percival Huget of Brooklyn, New York, and Dr. Frank Dyer of Los Angeles, a former president of the conference.

The executive officers have been busy since the first of the year in the preparation of the programme.

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REPORTS ON SHIPMENTS OF CANADIAN WHEAT TO UNITED STATES DIFFER

Washington, May 2—Figures issued by the Department of Commerce show that President Coolidge's order of April 6, increasing by twelve cents the import duty on wheat from Canada, has practically stopped such imports. Wheat imports from Canada for the week preceding April 6 were 2,260,000 bushels, while only 37,000 bushels were imported during the week after the order became effective.

Imports of wheat from Canada into bonded mills for grinding, to be exported again, are not affected by the increased duty and are not included in the import figures.

President Coolidge's order raised the duty from thirty cents to forty-two cents a bushel.

A dispatch from Winnipeg a few days ago said:

More Canadian wheat is going to United States millers from the head of the Great Lakes this year than ever before, in spite of the 42-cent duty imposed recently, according to local grain officials.

Minneapolis, Duluth, Chicago and Buffalo mills have contracts aggregating 14,000,000 bushels now registered at the head of the lakes, while a single concern has contracts for delivery of 7,000,000 bushels during May.

Exporters here assert the increased United States tariff designed against Canadian wheat has been quite ineffective.

LAST PICTURE OF U.S. WORLD FLIGHT BEFORE THE SQUADRON WAS BROKEN



The photograph reproduced above was taken at Lake Washington, while the planes were at Seattle. Undoubtedly it was one of the last pictures of the squadron of four aeroplanes taken, as the weather after they left Seattle was unfavorable for photography.

DR. W. J. MAYO RETURNING HOME FROM ANTIPODES

Party of Eminent Surgeons, Here on Makura, Had Great Welcome in Australasia

Dr. William James Mayo, eminent surgeon, and member of the famous Mayo clinic, returned with his party from Australia and New Zealand this morning on board the liner Makura. Dr. Mayo, who left here on February 9 on board the liner Niagara for the Antipodes, was anxious to hasten East, and left on the morning steamer for Seattle, en route home.

With him were Mrs. Mayo, Dr. Franklin H. Martin, director-general of the American College of Surgeons, and Mrs. Martin; Dr. Richard Hickman Harte, professor of clinical surgery at the University of Pennsylvania; Dr. Richard Smith, and Mrs. Smith.

Dr. Mayo and his party went south to attend the convention of the Australasian branch of the British Medical Association, held at Auckland. He stayed three weeks in New Zealand, and then proceeded to Australia. The doctor described the tour succinctly to The Times as a "round of visits to the universities, the hospitals, and the medical schools of the Commonwealth and Dominion." Behind that modest statement lies the knowledge that they were feted and greeted at every point where they stayed. Dr. Mayo was not prepared at this stage to contrast medical development in the Antipodes with America, but it is known that many various tests made on this continent will be introduced to Australasian science as the result of the tour.

Dr. Mayo expressed his satisfaction with the result of the tour, and with the welcome accorded to him.

Dr. Harte, a distinguished army surgeon and author, often accompanies Dr. Mayo in travel. Dr. Martin is a gynecologist of international fame, practicing at Chicago.

KILLED CHILDREN AND THEN HIMSELF

San Francisco Baker Murdered Young Ones in Bed And Committed Suicide

San Francisco, May 2.—George Lohse, a baker, shot and killed his daughters, Marian, eight, and Beth, five, shot his son Frank perhaps fatally and then shot and killed himself here to-day. He left a note saying his insurance had been taken care of, but giving no motive for his act.

The children were shot in their beds, presumably while they were asleep.

Yesterday Lohse visited an undertaker and purchased a plot in a cemetery near the city.

According to neighbors, Lohse's wife left him two weeks ago.

St. John, N.B., May 2.—All of the Mahanny quadruplets, born on Christmas Day, 1923, have now received the King's bounty, amounting to £3 each. The four children are all well.

NEWS FEATURES TO APPEAR IN SATURDAY'S TIMES

Tapping an Island Storehouse of Timber Wealth, special review on C.N.R. rail extension to Cowichan Lake.

William Trant tells of Paris in black days of Franco-German War; veteran journalist on bygone epics.

Personal memoirs of John Ellis, famed English official executioner.

People you have seen or read about in every corner of the globe; odd lights on the great and would-be-greater.

Colored comics, and Times latest news as usual.

UNIONISTS COMPLETING THEIR ARGUMENTS ON THE CHURCH BILL BEFORE COMMONS COMMITTEE

Ottawa, May 2.—The third day of the Church Union hearing before the Commons Private Bills Committee began with the Unionists still presenting their case. Before the day is over, however, it is expected the anti-unionists will start their case.

The proceedings opened with cross-examination of Rev. Dr. Leslie Pidgeon of Winnipeg, by J. D. Chaplin, M.P. for Lincoln, Ont., who questioned him as to the position to be occupied by the Presbyterian Church in Canada after the union.

Dr. Pidgeon agreed that the name "Presbyterian Church in Canada" would not be used by the non-concurring congregations. He said the name would not be taken into the union.

Mr. Chaplin—It has been abandoned?

Dr. Pidgeon—Probably.

Mr. Chaplin—What about the people who would be left in a position worse than a foundling? A foundling would have some clothes.

NOT ANSWERED

The chairman remarked that the member of the committee should confine themselves to questions without discussion. In the meantime the question got lost and was not answered.

Mr. Chaplin—What about the rights of ministers. Did these ministers not have a contract for salary and retiring allowance?

Dr. Pidgeon replied that a minister had no right to salary except as the minister of a congregation. If he left his congregation the right ceased.

MARRIAGE CEREMONIES

Mr. Chaplin asked what powers ministers in non-concurring churches would have regarding the right to perform marriage ceremonies.

It was a matter defined by law, replied Dr. Pidgeon.

Gordon Wilson, member for Wentworth, Ontario, asked how the decision of the Presbyterian General Assembly "to guard the rights and privileges of the minority" could be explained in connection with the present bill.

Dr. Pidgeon—By the division of property and the right of congregations to vote themselves out of the union.

Dr. Pidgeon expressed the view that this was a generous arrangement rather than a legal right.

Mr. Wilson asked if those opposed could be described as "in rebellion," in view of the fact that they believed their rights were to be protected.

Dr. Pidgeon held it was not rebellion to ask to have a promise fulfilled if the promise was properly interpreted.

CHOSEN FOR LIFE

W. F. Garland, Carleton, Ontario asked regarding the method of electing elders and members of the General Assembly. He was told among other things that the elders were chosen for life.

J. S. Woodsworth, Labor member for Centre Winnipeg, put a series of questions as to whether the doctrines in the basis of church union were being taught in the church colleges.

Dr. Pidgeon said he did not think that relevant, though it would be relevant as to whether the basis agreed with the confession.

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No Arms to Be Shipped From U.S. to Mexico

Washington, May 2.—President Coolidge to-day issued a proclamation declaring an embargo on arms shipments to Cuba, effective immediately.

The action was taken at the request of the Government of Cuba, which formally called the attention of the Washington Government to the "condition of violence existing in Cuba."

CHARGES HIS WIFE WITH $15,000 THEFT

Retired Lillooet Farmer Wants Woman Extradited From Seattle to Vancouver

Vancouver, May 2.—Inheriting a $125,000 fortune from a cousin in India, sixty-eight-year-old A. H. Martley, a retired Lillooet farmer, married Mrs. Virginia Morton, a Cariboo girl, honeymooned through Asiatic and European countries, lost his bride, fought for the rebels in Mexico, returned to British Columbia and now charges Mrs. Martley with the theft of $15,000.

Mrs. Martley, thirty-four years old, conducts the Charlesgate Apartments, Seattle, where she is held at the request of Vancouver police pending extradition.

Shortly after their marriage the happy couple set out on a voyage to Calcutta to collect the inheritance. They continued the journey to Europe; but, according to Mr. Martley, their matrimonial barque was wrecked in Rome.

Relations between husband and wife were getting strained, it would seem, and on returning to Canada Mr. Martley visited Lillooet and Mrs. Martley, apparently, remained at the coast.

CAPTURED AND RELEASED

December found the retired farmer on the Mexican border, where he threw in his lot with the Mexican rebels. He was promptly arrested and held in jail in Vera Cruz. Later he was released and returned to Vancouver.

Previously he had entrusted Mrs. Martley with a power of attorney, authorizing her to transact certain business matters on his behalf.

He alleges Mrs. Martley utilized this power to withdraw moneys from India to her credit in Vancouver, having paid to her, according to Martley, about $15,000 from Mr. Martley's account in the Bank of Hamilton.

Parts of Bodies of Murdered Chinese Children Were Sold

Hankow, China, May 2.—In a popular outbreak following the arrest of men charged with kidnapping and slaying children and selling parts of the bodies to native druggists, four onlookers were accidentally shot.

The disturbances became so serious that soldiers were called on to quell them and the shootings took place when the crowds refused to disperse and the troops fired.

THREE U.S. WORLD PLANES ORDERED TO PROCEED AS HUNT FOR MARTIN GOES ON

No Report Yet of Finding of Commander of World Flight and His Helper, Who Left Chignik, Alaska, for Dutch Harbor Wednesday; Search Now Being Conducted By Four Parties

Washington, May 2.—Orders were telegraphed to-day by Major-General Patrick, chief of the Army Air Service, to Lieut. Lowell H. Smith, at Dutch Harbor, Alaska, directing him to proceed on the flight around the world with the three planes at Dutch Harbor as soon as weather conditions permit.

Lieut. Clayton L. Bissell, in charge of the first division of the round-the-world flight itinerary and who is also at Dutch Harbor, will continue to direct the search for Major Martin, the missing flight commander.

Aboard the U. S. Coastguard Cutter, Haida, May 2 (By Wireless to Estevan, B.C.)—The search for Major F. L. Martin, missing United States world flight commander, has been divided into four parts and early to-day was proceeding systematically.

REPORT AWAITED

Bremerton, Wash., May 2. — No wireless messages have been received here from vessels in the North Pacific Ocean concerning the probable fate of Major Frederick L. Martin, commander of the United States aeroplane squadron encircling the globe, and his mechanician, Sergeant Alva Harvey, who have been reported missing since they left Chignik, Alaska, at 11.10 a.m. Wednesday for Dutch Harbor, Unalaska Island.

Inasmuch no report whatever had been received of the sighting of Major Martin since he left Chignik Wednesday, it was believed he was near Chignik. It was considered practically certain that he could not have passed the Shumagin Island, 140 miles from Chignik, and still more sure that he could not have gone beyond False Pass, 230 miles from Chignik.

NAVIGATOR'S OPINION

Seward, Alaska, May 2.—Belief that Major Frederick L. Martin, commanding a circumnavigation of the globe aerial squadron, and his mechanician, Sergeant Alva Harvey, were still alive, probably in some sheltered nook, was expressed to-day by Capt. C. A Johansen, master of the steamer Starr, who is recognized as one of the best navigators in Alaskan waters.

"Major Martin and his mechanician are probably at Kuprenof Point, south of Chignik, or in one of the many sheltered and quiet bays between Jacob Island, on the southern shore of the Alaska peninsula northeast of the Shumagin Island group, and Paul Island, also south of Chignik," declared Capt. Johansen.

A dispatch from Chignik last night said:

Tense search by such agencies as the Government could suddenly concentrate went forward to-day between here and the Shumagin Islands, 150 miles southwest, for Major Frederick L. Martin, around-the-world flight commander, who yesterday added to a series of mishaps by disappearing after taking the air at Chignik under desperate conditions for Dutch Harbor, 400 miles away.

The best hope held was that Major Martin and his mechanician, Sergeant Alva Harvey of Cleburne, Texas, had escaped death by taking refuge in some cove on the desolate, rocky coast of the south side of the Alaska Peninsula. Most of this coast between here and the Shumagin is directly exposed to the tempests and waves of the Pacific Ocean, always violent and recently more ferocious than known to the memory of Americans acquainted with the North.

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Ottawa Finally Rules Against Mexican Horses

Any possibility of Tia Juana race horses coming to British Columbia this year was removed to-day when the Federal Government promulgated new regulations absolutely barring the entry of these animals. News of the Government's decision to prohibit the admission of the Tia Juana horses reached Hon. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Secretary, in a telegram from Hon. J. H. King, Federal Minister of Public Works, and British Columbia's representative in the Cabinet. The Department of Agriculture, Dr. King said, is of the opinion that no risk of allowing foot and mouth disease into Canada should be taken.

BRITISH ELECTORAL BILL IS VOTED DOWN

Division on Liberals' Proportional Representation Plan Was 238 to 144

Some Observers Say Liberals Will Now Start Campaign Against Laborites

London, May 2—The House of Commons this afternoon rejected by 238 to 144 the proportional representation bill sponsored by the Liberals.

MORE DIFFICULTIES

The Duchess of Athol, in moving rejection of the bill, said that under it a member of the House would lose personal touch with his or her constituents, and that it would put a real difficulty in the way of the candidacy of women for Parliament, as well as lessen the representation of rural areas, a prospect which was keenly felt in many parts of Scotland.

SUPPORTED BY ASQUITH

Former Premier Asquith, supporting the bill, said that under existing electoral conditions there was no safeguard that the House of Commons would be an accurate reflection of the national opinion.

T. P. O'Connor, also supporting the measure, expressed the hope that his friends would look at the question with full appreciation of the new world they now were living in.

A FREE VOTE

Arthur Henderson, for the Government, said the question would be left to a free vote of the House and in

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Two U.S. Houses Confer on Bill Barring Japanese

Washington, May 2. — Senate and House conferees to-day finally took up the Japanese exclusion clause of the immigration bill.

Aged Man Lost Life When Shed Was Blown Down

White Cove, N.B., May 2.—Crushed by the weight of a collapsing frame shed during a high wind, Charles White, seventy-six, was almost instantly killed at his home here yesterday. His stepson, Roy Orchard, who was helping him in righting the shed, had his leg broken.

RURAL MAIL MEN ASKING THAT IN FUTURE THEY BE PAID BY MILE OF ROUTE

Toronto, May 2.—When the Federal Government has dealt with the grievances of other branches of the postal service which have been before it since a bonus reduction was announced some time ago, representatives of the rural mail contractors will ask for abolition of the contract system of engaging rural carriers and the establishment of $70 per mile per annum as the remuneration.

According to Garfield Mackinnon, secretary of the Rural Carriers' Association, the demand of the carriers is reasonable. It would mean net earnings of $800 a year, since each carrier must furnish his own conveyance. The rural mail carriers, says Mr. Mackinnon, are the lowest paid of all civil servants.

In view of the losses which many of the carriers have suffered while fulfilling their contracts and their bond to the Government, the association is asking that the increase be made retroactive to 1917.

Church Union Bill is Opposed In Nova Scotia

Halifax, May 2.—The Legislative Council, the upper chamber of the Nova Scotia Legislature, was the scene last night of renewed efforts of opponents of church union to block the passage of the measure which is now before that body. Several amendments were submitted by Walter Crowe, K.C., anti-unionist, practically all of which had been previously submitted when the bill was in the hands of the Assembly. He said the Council would do well to report against the bill in toto.

RELIEF MEASURES IN SOUTHEAST U.S.

109 Persons in Seven States Were Killed During Violent Windstorms

Atlanta, Ga., May 2—A revised check of the regions stricken in seven southeastern states by violent windstorms places the total known dead at 109, the injured at more than 500, and the estimated property damage at more than $10,000,000. Scores of persons are homeless.

Reconstruction and relief measures were being put into effect to-day in portions of the states laid waste Tuesday and Wednesday.

Early to-day the known dead were listed as follows: South Carolina, 76; Georgia, 14; Alabama, 11; North Carolina, 5; Virginia, 1; Louisiana, 1, and Arkansas, 1.

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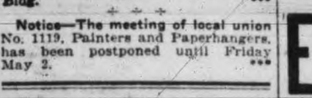
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A. A. Nicholson, Athlete, Died in Vancouver To-day

Vancouver, May 2.—British Columbia athletic circles were shocked this morning to learn of the death of A. A. ("Art") Nicholson, star field and track athlete, who has been running under the colors of the Vancouver Elks for the past three seasons. Nicholson was considered British Columbia's best entry for the Pentathlon event in the Olympic trials.

About a week ago Nicholson was removed to Royal Columbian Hospital in New Westminster suffering from ear trouble and two days ago he began to bleed at the ears and nose.

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Notice—The meeting of local union No. 1119, Painters and Paperhangers, has been postponed until Friday May 2. ***

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ANOTHER HEALING SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT ARENA

Second Healing Service of Price Campaign to be Held To-night

Two thousand attended last night's evangelistic meeting held by Dr. Charles Price at the Arena, while five hundred were at the afternoon service, when he preached on the topic of the manifestations of the Holy Spirit. The subject for his evening service was "He is Able."

The text of his evening service was taken from Hebrews, chapter 7, verse 25. The outstanding points in his sermon were "Jesus is able to save, able to keep and able to heal." The afternoon service was devoted chiefly to those who were preparing for the healing service. Dr. Price spoke on the manifestations of the Holy Spirit and the gifts of the Holy Spirit, pointing out that the gifts as stated by the Bible were the gifts of knowledge, wisdom, faith and of healing.

At the evening service Dr. Price announced that the would be no service on Saturday but that on Sunday there would be a service at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon and 7.30 in the evening. Some of the churches are closing Sunday evening so as to allow congregations to attend the Price campaign.

The second healing service of the campaign will be held to-night. A preparatory service was held this afternoon and cards handed to those who will be prayed for to-night.

At the close of the sermon last night Dr. Price made his first altar call and between sixty and seventy responded.

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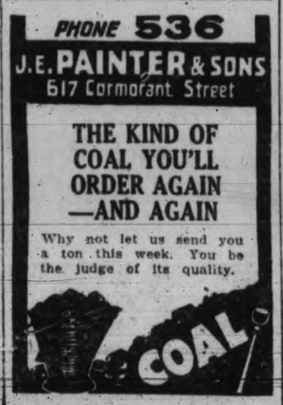
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HUDSON'S BAY ANNIVERSARY IN CITY OBSERVED

Charter Was Granted Company 254 Years Ago

Anniversary celebrations of the Hudson's Bay Company are being marked by the Victoria store to-day with special displays in which the history of the 254-year-old company is fittingly featured. It is interesting to observe in this connection that while the year 1924 marks the 254th anniversary of the granting of the charter by King Charles the Second of England to the "honorable company of gentlemen adventurers trading into Hudson's Bay," it also marks the eighty-first anniversary of the establishment of the company's headquarters on Vancouver Island.

SPRING OF 1843

It was in the Spring of 1843 that a party under Chief Factor, afterwards Sir James Douglas, landed at the southern end of Vancouver Island and commenced the construction of Fort Victoria. Sir James Simpson had already been on the coast consolidating and developing the activities of the company.

The Pacific coast was at that time reached more easily by sea from England than by land from Winnipeg, and the selection of the most suitable place for the company's principal station was a matter of much importance.

The judgment of Sir James Douglas in choosing Victoria has been abundantly justified by the subsequent development of the city, the capital of British Columbia.

It was in the famous steamer Beaver that Chief Factor Douglas, with fifteen men crossed from Nisqually and landed near an Indian village, the natives of which were at first much alarmed by the arrival of the vessel. Douglas explained to them the purpose for which they came, assured them of their friendly intentions and employed them to obtain the cedar posts needed for the palisades.

IN VICTORIA

In 1910 the relatively limited business of outfitting for the goldfields was developed into the establishment of a department store, the present handsome structure being erected in 1914. In consequence of the European war this building was not opened for business until the Fall of 1921.

The day of the opening marked an important point in Victoria's commercial development and the realization of a project which for many years had been the hope and pride of the city.

It is extremely interesting, especially to Victoria's old-timers, to compare the old with the new conditions under which the company is now carrying on business in the capital of the Province; to compare the old fort buildings, which stood on what is now Fort and Bastion Streets, with the huge $2,000,000 structure situated on the east side of Douglas Street.

Everything that can possibly contribute to the comfort and convenience of patrons is provided in this up-to-date store, the whole structure being built on the thought of consideration for the pleasure, satisfaction and service to the public.

One of the store services is a magnificent restaurant, where breakfasts, luncheons and afternoon teas are served at popular prices.

Among other service features are the rest rooms, writing rooms, lounges and telephone booths, hairdressing and manicuring parlors, lending library and information bureau.

On Vancouver Island, perhaps more than in any other part of Canada, Hudson's Bay Company has facilitated and developed settlement and progress, and by modern methods suited to the changing needs of the times it will continue to promote the advancement of the city which it founded and of the Island which for a time it governed.

IMPORTANT BODY TO CONVENE HERE

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The members of this year's conference are the following:

Honorary presidents—Principal W. H. Vance, M.A., Vancouver; President S. B. L. Pemose, D.D., Walla Walla; Principal A. M. Sanford, D.D., New Westminster; Bishop Keator (deceased), Tacoma.

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Executive committee — Canadian: Very Rev. Dean Quainton, D.D., Victoria; Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., Victoria; Rev. A. S. Lewis, M.A., Vancouver. American: Prof. Samuel Weir, Ph.D., Tacoma; Rev. C. H. Burdick, Ph. d., Everett; Rev. Frank Matthews, D.D., Seattle.

It is expected that there will be a large attendance at the Victoria conference, as many ministers will include the conference in their vacation programme.

R. C. Knight is To be Sentenced In Vancouver

Vancouver, May 2.—Ronald Christopher Knight, clerk in the County Court Registery Office at the provincial courthouse, was to-day found guilty by a jury of embezzling $8,685 from the registry office during the years 1922 and 1923. The jury deliberated thirty-five minutes. Knight was remanded for sentence.

New York, May 2.—Sarazen, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt's Kentucky Derby favorite, which was unbeaten last year as a two-year-old, sustained defeat to-day for the first time in the Lynnbrook handicap at the Jamaica track. The gelding, making his initial three-year-old start, trailed the Rancocas stables's Bracadale to the wire in the six-furlong dash.

Sarazen, apparently badly ridden by C. Kummer, was unable to move up from second place at any stage of the race, and was beaten by a length and a half. Brainstorm finished third, while Mr. Dave Harrington, Prince of Umbria, Lord Granite, Hephaston and Thorndale also ran. Time 1.12

TROOPS AS GUARDS DURING EXECUTIONS

Six Italians to be Hanged For Murder in Amite, Louisiana, May 9

Superintendent of Prison Receives Letter Containing Threat Against His Life

Baton Rouge, La., May 2.—Governor Parker has been asked to order a company of the Louisiana National Guard to Amite May 9 for duty in connection with the hanging of six Italians for the murder of Dallas Calmes. The Governor declined today to say whether he would do so, but in official quarters it was believed such a course would be followed.

The life of the Governor was threatened a few days ago because he set the date for the executions and refused to interfere with the court's sentence.

THREAT IN LETTER

New Orleans, La., May 2.—Captain Archie Rennyson, superintendent of the Orleans Parish Prison, where the six Italians condemned to die at Amite May 9 are held, to-day received a letter informing him "we will get you sure" if the men are hanged.

The superintendent reported Wednesday receipt of an offer of $50,000 to permit escape of five of the prisoners. Last night an anonymous caller on the telephone, speaking in broken English, asked Captain Rennyson if he had received the communication relating to the bribe.

U.S. WORLD AIRMEN AND PLANE MISSING

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The cutter Algonquin of the United States Coastguard was directing the search. The Algonquin was yesterday at the Shumagin, where she had been hovering all this week waiting for Major Martin to attempt the flight to Dutch Harbor to join the three other aviators under his command and from whom he had been separated since April 15, when he went down at Cape Igvak after departure from Seward, Alaska, while they came on to Chignik. They flew from here to Dutch Harbor April 19.

APPEAL MADE

The Algonquin early to-day broadcast through a wireless station on Kodiak Island, east of here, a request for all vessels in the North Pacific, and especially craft serving salmon canneries, which have begun their annual entry into Northern waters, to send out boats looking for the missing aviators. The Algonquin by wireless spread an inquiry to canneries along the coast with the idea that Major Martin might possibly have found safety and succor for himself and his companion at some of those lonely stations.

SANDY BEACHES

Coves such as might afford saving shelter to the two adventurers are fairly frequent between here and the Shumagins, despite the general rockiness of the region and the fact that the ocean beats upon it without resistance from large islands. Behind islets here and there are little sandy beaches. These harbors are too tiny to appear on any navigation chart. A survey of them would require days, and could be prosecuted only by launches and smaller craft.

A CANNING STATION

Perryville, a cannery station about half way to the Shumagins, and Mitrofania, between Perryville and Chignik, are the only spots on the coast of this part of the Alaska Peninsula along which the hunt was being pressed closely where any white men are to be found. At no other place on the coast between here and the Shumagins are there enough even of natives to make a village.

Here and there are to be found rambling Indians, hunters and fishermen. The hope was held that even if Major Martin and Sergeant Harvey missed one of the little coves and were carried upon a rocky shore they might still find food at the hands of one of these men.

No large vessel can approach the coast except at a few favored spots. Offshore is thick beset with rocks in shallow water, making navigation a peril.

MAD ACCIDENTS

Major Martin had misadventures at Seattle, where the expedition arrived March 20, and at Prince Rupert, B.C., on reaching there April 6. At Seattle he wrecked his landing gear in lighting. When the four fliers got to Prince Rupert in a twilight snowstorm he had to make a short stop in a body of water known as Seal Cove to avoid hitting the shore. In doing so he broke two struts supporting the plane on the pontoons which had been substituted at Seattle for the landing gear.

After descending at Cape Igvak, Major Martin was found the next day by the United States destroyer machine was taken to Kanatak at the machine was taken to Kantak, at the head of the bay. There a contest with constant winds arose, which lasted until a new engine had been installed in the machine as it rocked on the water and departure had been made Friday after the plane had been towed out of a creek in a crib.

WISHED TO RETURN

As the machine got over a bar in the creek exposed by low tide and was launched in deep water, the wind and snow became so bad that Major Martin said that if he could get back into the creek he would not go that day.

He did go, and in Kumlik Bay, about half way here, was forced to light and remain for thirty minutes to get his bearings while the snow rushed by him through the air.

Here Major Martin persisted in his efforts to continue his trip, he and Sergeant Harvey spending every daylight minute working on the machine and daily watching for a chance to go. One day they remained because the Algonquin counselled positively against it. On Wednesday they left in a storm that caused old timers to remark that the move had been ill advised.

INDIA'S WHEAT CROP

Washington, May 2.—India's wheat crop this year is placed at 375,387,000 bushels in the first official forecast of statistics of India cabled to the Department of Agriculture. Indications are that India's exportable surplus this year will be about 30,000,000 bushels.

Earth Tremors Were Recorded at Chicago Yesterday

Chicago, May 2.—Sharp earth tremors were recorded on the weather bureau seismograph at the University of Chicago at 2 p.m., Central Standard time yesterday. The oscillation reached its maximum at 2.06 p.m. and ended at 4.25 o'clock. The distance indicated was 1,975 miles in a southerly direction.

SAYS CONSERVATIVES WILL RULE BRITAIN

Curzon Believes Party Will Win Contest That Will Soon Come

Former Secretary of Foreign Affairs Addresses the Primrose League in London

London, May 2.—In the course of a speech to-day at a great gathering of the Primrose League, a Conservative organization, Marquis Curzon, former Secretary for Foreign Affairs, predicted that before long the Conservative banner would be floating high in the sky. He declared the Conservative Party was preparing itself "with all the energy in its power for the renewed struggle that cannot be long delayed."

Regarding the Labor Government, Lord Curzon said:

"There is a government in power which has only conformed to its title in so far as it is laboring in very deep water. The Socialist Government was going to give us the pure milk of Socialism, but so far the cow has not provided much beverage. In foreign affairs the only thing the Government has done has been to sit in friendly conference with representatives of the most cruel and bloody government Europe has known since the French Revolution."

DISARMAMENT

Former Premier Baldwin, outlining the policy of the Conservatives, said the party was ready to enter into any conference to consider limitation of armaments, "but we can not allow any weakening of the defence forces."

The Conservatives, he said, stood for strict carrying out of the treaty of peace and would make the League of Nations the pivotal factor of their foreign policy.

He said they stood for unity in the Empire and of the people at home, and regretted their modest scheme of preference with the Dominions had not been accepted. The former Premier expressed the fear that the inevitable result of the rejection of the Imperial preference plan, would put the Dominions into other economic orbits.

Regarding the tariff, Mr. Baldwin declared:

"We accept the verdict of the country and do not propose to put forward a general tariff, but we propose when we return to power to deal with industry suffering from unfair competition by some means analogous to the safeguarding of Industries Act."

NO NEW MILITARY MOVES IN ULSTER

Reports Special Constabulary Mobilized For Border Action Denied

Only Activity Declared to be Spring Training Period of The Organization

Belfast, May 2—Reports that the Ulster Government had ordered one of the border sections of its special constabulary to prepare for mobilization have no foundation in fact, it is declared in competent quarters here. The reports, it appears, arose from the circumstances that this special branch of the Ulster Constabulary has an annual training period like that of the British Territorials, which is now approaching.

There is no significance apart from this, it is stated, and nothing pertaining to the Free State-Ulster border situation has anything to do with it.

In only one event would the special constabulary be mobilized, it is stated, and that is in case of a border invasion from the Free State. No such invasion has occurred.

THORNTON AGREES TO START EARLY INQUIRY INTO ELEVATOR PLANS

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ASK ROAD PAYMENT

While in Ottawa the Premier took up with the Federal Government the Province's claim for damages for the use of part of the Cariboo wagon road in the establishment of the National Railway grade. Mr. Oliver was assured that his representations would be carefully considered after Government engineers, who have visited the road, have reported.

EVERYBODY HAPPY

"All I can say about election possibilities," the Premier remarked, when newspaper correspondents asked him when he intended to appeal to the country, "is that Mr. Bowser says he is happy, General McRae professes a similar joy and I am quite comfortable. So why worry? Don't you think we are the happiest group of politicians you have ever seen? Speaking seriously, though, nothing has been decided and nothing will be decided until the Cabinet meets. The Ministers are expected to arrive here Monday when we shall get together and talk matters over."

The Premier will go to Cloverdale, on the mainland, to-morrow night, to make his first speech since his return from the East. He will address Delta Liberals after their convention at which they are expected to renominate Alex. Paterson, M.P.P.

Since his return here the Premier has been struggling with a large volume of accumulated routine business. On reaching the city yesterday, he hurried home and worked with his secretary at his house, until late in the evening. He is anxious to have his desk clear before the beginning of the week, when he and his colleagues will decide when they will go to the country.

HOME BANK APPEAL TO THE COMMONS

Depositors' Committee, Accompanied by Others, to go to Ottawa From Toronto

Toronto, May 3—The Home Bank depositors' committee held a meeting to-day and decided to go down in a body to confront the House of Commons and demand relief from the Federal Treasury. They will be reinforced, it is understood, by many representatives of municipal and political organizations.

BEFORE COMMITTEE

Ottawa, May 2 (Canadian Press)—The Home Bank failure came briefly before the Banking and Commerce Committee of the Commons to-day on the resolution passed by the House recently regarding investigation. A sub-committee was appointed consisting of the chairman, Walter Mitchell, and Messrs. Good (Brant); Cahill, (Pontiac), Baxter (St. John); Irvin (Calgary East) and Vien. (Lotbiniere) to consider what witnesses should be called.

CHURCH UNION BILL

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Mr. Woodsworth said he had asked the question because of Sir Robert Falconer's statement that ninety per cent of the Presbyterian ministers had signed the confession with reservations.

IN HARMONY

Dr. Pidgeon replied that under the basis of union a minister must satisfy his presbytery that his views were in substantial harmony with the doctrines of the basis.

Mr. Woodsworth—Does the basis commit the new church to the doctiren of eternal punishment?.

Dr. Pidgeon—That is clear.

Mr. Wilson—Will the new church be Calvinistic or Armenian?

Dr. Pidgeon—Those divisions have drifted out of sight in common practice.

NO BLANK CHEQUE

Ottawa, May 2 (Canadian Press)—"We could not accept what destroyed the central object of the bill. I am not speaking as a threat, but there is a central object, and we could not sign a blank cheque to accept amendments without seeing them."

This declaration was made to the Commons Private Bills Committee this morning by Dr. Rev. Leslie Pidgeon of Winnipeg during the hearing on the Church Union Bill.

William Duff, member for Lunenburg, asked whether Dr. Pidgeon agreed that the committee had authority to amend the bill.

Dr. Pidgeon agreed, though he did not anticipate they would consider amending the basis of union."

Then Dr. Duff asked whether he would accept whatever bill the committee passed, and Dr. Pidgeon gave the answere reported above.

During the session a name was suggested for the theology of the basis of union. Dr. Murray MacLaren, M.P. for St. John, proposed Armenio-Calvinistic and this was accepted by Dr. Pidgeon.

DR. JOHN PRINGLE SPOKE

The last member of the morning and the last to be heard on the unionist side for the present was Rev. Dr. John Pringle of Yukon fame. Dr. Pringle told the story of his forbears to show his true Presbyterian origin and gave the committee a striking summary of the reasons why the Presbyterian Church is going into union.

"First," he said, "because it has seen a vision of Canada's needs; second, because it has seen a vision of the needs of unchristianized lands; third, because it has heard the call of patriotism for a united Canada. It has heard the call for a righteous Canada, for righteousness in national and in industrial life. Finally, it has heard the call of Christ the prayer for unity offered in the shadow of the cross."

Dr. Pringle will be subjected to questioning this afternoon.

Just before the committee adjourned Chairman McGiverin announced that the hearings of the committee, after the afternoon sitting, would be adjourned until Tuesday.

BRITISH ELECTORAL BILL IS VOTED DOWN

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view of the many other bills awaiting the committee stage, he could not hold out the hope of affording any facilities, even if it should obtain a second reading by the action of the House to-day.

When it became evident that the Government would not support the bill, the Liberals grew restive and heckled Mr. Henderson repeatedly. One member shouted "Turn them out." To this Mr. Henderson replied: "If they are going to turn us out let them get on with the job."

London, May 2.—The Government's non-acceptance of the Liberals' "ultimatum" demanding support for their proportional representation electoral bill is declared by several political writers to be regarded as a rebuff and a challenge to the Asquithians. The latter, it is stated, may now be expected to let lose their threatened intensive campaign throughout the country in opposition to the Government and to lighten the grip they claim to hold on the House of Commons. This, it is said, brings nearer the fall of the MacDonald Government, which is the favorite topic of some of the political prophets.

HOSTILITY DISPLAYED

It is asserted the Cabinet yesterday, was disposed to accede to Mr. Asquith's wish to have official support for the Liberal bill, but in view of the known hostility of a large section of the Laborites to the idea of proportional representation, the Ministers finally resolved to take the opinion of the Parliamentary Labor Party, which also was meeting.

RESENTMENT

The latter is said to have shown a good deal of resentment against the Liberal "ultimatum" and it was under the influence of this feeling that the Government decided to let the House determine the question.

London, May 2.—The Cabinet is understood to have approved a plan offered by one of its subcommittees to experiment with airships of greater size and speed and power than any hitherto produced, according to The Daily Mail.

The paper says the Air Ministry will build a big airship station and a very large long-range airship, with which the navy will make tests as an auxiliary air cruiser for ocean reconnaissance.

CHURCH INSISTS ON DR. DAVIES' REAPPOINTMENT

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considered it doubtful whether he could ratify their membership in the Methodist Church and was not prepared to do so on his own authority. There was some keen discussion on the matter, which terminated in Dr. Sipprell wiring to Dr. Chown, Superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada, for a ruling.

UNANIMOUS

This makes the third time that the church has gone on record as unanimously calling for the appointment of Dr. Davies as minister of Centennial Church. The only dissenting voices on the main issues last night were from two former members of the board who resigned last year and one or two others, but their hands were not uplifted when the vote on the choice of Dr. Davies as pastor for another twelve months was recorded.

A FAMILY OF METHODISTS

Interviewed on the matter this morning Dr. Davies said:

"I am accused of 'butting" into Canadian Methodism. But Methodism is a 'world church.' My father and grandfather were Methodist preachers. My wife's family have been Canadian Methodists for generations. My wife's father was a member of the Canadian Methodist Church for sixty odd years. His contributions to Canadian Methodist missions during his lifetime, and to other Methodist causes, ran well into a figure approaching $40,000.

"A Mason is a Mason anywhere. Surely in these days a Methodist preacher, once ordained, should be able to perform the functions of his office since, as in this case, the church has been permitted to supply its own minister.

SERIOUS SITUATION

"These 205 members have joined the Methodist Church in good faith and a serious situation exists if they are now ruled 'not Methodists.' Practically the whole number will decline to go through another ceremony with a member of the B. C. Methodist Conference, in order to gain Methodist membership. They do not see why their pastor should be set aside and humiliated in his own church.

"I didn't seek the church. The church was thrust on me. The Centennial people demanded, insisted that I remain with them last year.

"The whole point is the struggle between 'churchianity and Christianity.' Canadian Methodist in British Columbia is at the cross roads. They can face the issue as Christians, with large-hearted broadmindedness or they can follow the established ecclesiastical ruts.

INTOLERABLE

"The status at present is that as pastor I must be set aside while another pastor comes into Centennial Church and performs all the ecclesiastical functions. This is intolerable.

"Three times the church board has unanimously decided that come what may they desire my continuance. From a monetary standpoint I would not consider it a minute. You could not pay me enough cash to stand the strain of this past eighteen months. No one knows what a 'grind' it is to be 'outside the fold' but I have been forced into this situation of a 'freelance' because no real man could desert a church that has been so splendidly loyal as Centennial has been to me. I don't intend to desert them. As long as they think they want me for their leader I will stand by them and fight without malice for every principle that has been at stake during my pastorate and since the death of Rev. J. L. Batty."

Dr. W. J. Sipprell this morning had received no reply from Dr. Chown on the status of the 205 members in question and declined to make any statement on the matter.

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BUDGET SUPPORTED BY ROBERT FORKE

Progressive Leader Will Vote Against Woodsworth Amendment in the Commons

Denies There Was Any Bargaining Between Progressives and Liberals

Ottawa, May 2.—Robert Forke, Progressive leader, told the Commons yesterday afternoon he could not vote for the Woodsworth amendment to the budget because it meant nothing. To support it would compel him to vote against the budget, which he believed to be better for the country than the "mere gesture" contained in the Labor member's amendment.

Canada had turned the corner and started in a new direction, and he hoped the Government would continue in that direction.

The Progressive leader expressed doubt as to whether the manufacturers really thought conditions would be as bad as they pretended if the budget passed.

ONLY A DREAM

The idea that the Canadian home market could absorb Canadian produce was a dream, Mr. Forke maintained.

He predicted there would be a change in the tariff policy of the United States before long.

Referring to statements made in the House and on the political platform that the Government had bargained with the Progressives for support, Mr. Forke said:

"I utterly deny and repudiate that there has been any bargaining between this group and any other group in this House.

"So far as I know, no group in this House is under any obligation to support any other group. So far as I am concerned, I am pledged to support no group except that one which did me the honor to make me its leader.

"I made the statement at the opening of the session that the Government would get Progressive support when it brought down progressive measures. I repeat that statement to-day.

CHANGES OBSERVED

"If anybody in this House thinks the Progressive movement is done, he is vastly mistaken," continued Mr. Forke. "In Great Britain progressive government is an accomplished fact. In the United States there is a drastic change pending in the system of government. We of this group see brighter things ahead.

"We have our faces toward the rising sun and the way is clear to the abolition of special privileges and the creation of equal rights for all. We of this group are not afraid to go forward in this direction."

W. F. GARLAND SPOKE

W. F. Garland, Conservative, Carleton, Ont., said it was all very well for Mr. Forke to deny there had been any bargaining. The reductions in the tariff had been a direct bid for Progressive support and the Government knew it would get that support.

He gave figures showing the importations of farm produce from the United States last year and said agriculture was suffering from low tariff measures.

A FAIR POLICY

L. J. Lovitt, Liberal, Digby-Annapolis, declared the cleavage between the Liberal and Progressive parties was clearcut and distinct.

The low tariff movement had received a new impetus when the budget was announced. It was a policy on fair Liberal lines. The people, he said, had to thank the previous Government for the burden of taxation.

OPPOSES PLAN FOR A SMALLER SENATE

Hon. F. L. Schaffner Thinks Provinces All Ought to Have Upper Houses

Ottawa, May 2.—On the resolution of Senator Turriff to reduce the membership of the Senate by one-third, Senator Schaffner, Conservative, placed on record yesterday, the total representation in the United States Congress and state legislatures as compared with the total representation of the Federal Parliament and the Provincial Legislatures of Canada.

In the United States, he said, the House of Representatives had 435 members; the Senate 96; State assemblies 5,661, and the Senate of the states 1,770, making a total of 7,962.

In Canada, he said, the Commons had 235 members; the Senate 96, the Provincial Legislatures 540; the Quebec Legislative Council, 24, and the Nova Scotia Legislative Council 21, a total of 916.

He also pointed out that in Great Britain the House of Lords had a membership of 740 and the House of Commons 615.

He suggested that if there had been Legislative Councils in all the provinces Canada would not have had the millions of dollars guaranteed for railway construction it had, as in Quebec and Nova Scotia, the two provinces with Legislative Councils, there were no railway guarantees.

QUESTION ASKED

Senator George Bradbury gave notice that he would inquire of the Government what it proposed to do with Government employees who were paid large salaries and drew large allowances in addition to their salaries.

$310,800 VOTED FOR WORK OF MISSIONS

Executive of Board of Methodist Church in Canada Makes Decisions

Toronto, May 2.—As a result of deliberations yesterday by the executive of the Mission Board of the Methodist Church, an aggregate of $310,800 to finance the operations of home missions in Canada, Newfoundland, Labrador and Bermuda was decided upon. The aggregate for 1924-25 marks a decrease of $15,495 from last year's allotments.

It was deemed possible, however, to provide for new missions up to $4,800 in Saskatchewan and $3,000 in Alberta, grants to other regions being pruned severely to make such advances possible.

Amounts for the Western conferences are as follows: Manitoba, $35,830; Saskatchewan, $27,000; Alberta, $59,000; British Columbia, $44,000.

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CANADA IMPORTED WHEAT FROM THE U.S.

Ottawa, May 2—Canada bought nearly $100,000 worth of United States wheat last year. In answer to a question the Minister of Trade and Commerce stated in the Commons that 90,635 bushels of United States wheat was entered for consumption in Canada last year, valued at $95,413.

You'll buy it at the right time and at the right store if you are an ad-reader.

HOME BANK SUMS PAID ARE $200,000

Shareholders Who Have Ignored Double Liability Call to be Speeded up

Toronto, May 2.—Out of the $2,000,000 due from Home Bank shareholders on the double liability call, the time for payment of which expired yesterday, barely $200,000 has been remitted. What action will be taken to speed up dilatory payments now rests with the liquidators. It is expected, however, that a large number of remittances will be received within the next day or so, many of which are no doubt now in the mails.

BOY SMOTHERED IN GRAIN ELEVATOR

Boys' Play at Peterson, Saskatchewan, Ended in a Tragedy

Peterson, Sask., May 2. — After Claude Desauliniers, four, and Arnold Irvin, four, clambered into a hopper of an elevator here on Tuesday they played about in the pit of grain for a few minutes and then tried the levers. Before the grain from the storage bin above had stopped flowing Claude had been smothered to death and Arnold was saved from suffocation only by the frantic efforts of his mother, who jumped into the hopper and desperately labored to keep the mounting flood from covering her boy's head. He,p arrived in a few minutes and the Irvin boy was released little the worse for his adventure.

THREE DROWNED; AUTOMOBILE PLUNGED FROM A BRIDGE

Seattle, May 2.—Steve Brown, an iron moulder, his son, Frank, and an unidentifed man were drowned, and August Brown, nineteen, was rescued when an automobile in which they were riding plunged through an open span in the Eighth Avenue South drawbridge over the Duwamish River here late yesterday when the bridge was swung open to allow a Tug to pass.

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OUR BEST MEAL TICKET

OUT of 2,590 forest fires in British Columbia in 1922, 2,200 were started by smokers, campers, motorists and other people who individually would consider themselves disgraced if they were proved guilty of setting fire to a church or other public building.

British Columbia's economic life, says Canadian Forest and Outdoors published by the Canadian Forestry Association, is pillared on fir, cedar and spruce. Her population of half a million draws most of its earnings from forest activities. Farming, as yet, is a minor item. Mines and fisheries bulk large. Logging and wood manufacture, however, bear the main burden of employment and pay the bills of provincial and municipal administration.

British Columbia possesses one-half the timber of the whole of Canada and cuts two and a half billion feet a year, valued at $70,000,000. Her off-shore export trade in manufactured lumber has leaped in seven years from fifty million to five hundred million board feet and should show no serious temporary lapse in reaching the estimated export capacity of two billion feet a year, about equal to the lumber export of Sweden. In addition to this, 223,000,000 board feet of unmanufactured logs are sold to foreign markets.

While the fire hazard in the moist Northern portion of the British Columbia Coast forest is providentially low, the more Southerly areas and the Interior must depend for the protection of young growth on the control of the multitude of fires started by forest workmen and recreation seekers.

Many British Columbia public agencies, by legitimate enterprise, have paved the way for an inrush this Summer of thousands of tourists. Such tourist business is built mainly on the lure of outdoor scenery and the vacationing impulse. It is a true forest product which should add one more urge to the British Columbian's self interest in protecting the resource that protects his pay cheque.

BRITISH COST OF LIVING

A FALL of one point in the general cost of living in England is recorded in the latest statistics compiled by the British Ministry of Labor.

According to these figures the average level of retail prices (including food, rent, clothing, fuel, light and miscellaneous items) was approximately 78 per cent above that of July, 1914, as compared with 79 per cent. on the first of February and 76 per cent. a year ago. For food alone the corresponding percentage for March 1 was 76 per cent. as compared with 77 per cent. the month previously and 71 per cent. last year.

These statistics are calculated on the basis of the pre-war standard of living of working-class families.

PREVENTION FIRST

ON the whole, people to-day lead happier, healthier and longer lives than people of former generations. But there is still room for improvement. Many agencies are active in the physical, moral and social fields to cure and restore. It is by the way of prevention, however, that progress in the future must come.

Prevention is daily assuming a more important place in the medical profession and in the work of others intelligently interested in human betterment. A leader in social work has set out some of the facts in this way:

Prevention costs less than cure and is simpler.

The cost of the funeral of one victim of typhoid would pay the bill for chlorinating the water supply of a great city.

Schick-testing and immunization against diptheria are among the simplest things a doctor does; but the treatment of a serious case of diptheria is a heroic undertaking.

Preventive dental hygiene requires little skill and is quick and painless; fillings and extractions are difficult, painful and ever dangerous.

The cost of probation is a mere fraction of the cost of institutional care; but even probation gets into action rather late, when much damage has been done.

The earlier and broader measures of recreation, health, family preservation, and early discovery and care of mental defects are the real preventives of delinquency.

Someone has well said that it is better and cheaper to put a guard rail at the side of a dangerous precipice than build a hospital at the foot of the hill for the care of accident victims.

Women of United States and Canada in 1923 spent $750,000,000 for toilet preparations, $150,000,000 for hair nets, $14,500,000 for scented soaps, $63,000,000 for cosmetics, to mention only the chief items. Husbands will now have a few remarks to make about extravagance—until the annual cigarette and tobacco figures come out.

LABOR UNREST

WAGE scales in Britain in recent years have been undergoing radical readjustment to the accompaniment of a series of strikes and strike threats. The interesting fact in connection with the changes is that the less skilled trades, partly because of more aggressive organization, have been getting the lion's share of the increases.

Wages of dockers, railwaymen and tramwaymen, for instance, have risen in Britain to levels higher than those of most other trades, including the highly skilled engineering trades. Wages in the building trades are about 100 per cent. above pre-war level, while there have been increases of 85 per cent. for the dockers, 100 to 150 per cent. for railwaymen and 90 per cent. for scavengers. But the highly trained members of the technical engineering trade get only 45 per cent. more, shipbuilders only 25 per cent. more, pottery workers only 30 per cent. more and tinplate workers only 40 per cent. more.

The disparity in the rate of increases is largely due to the conditions in the industries affected. But none the less, it has upset the normal relations between trades, in many cases placing the skilled worker at a disadvantage with the unskilled. "Here in London," Mr. George N. Barnes, one of the conservative labor leaders of Britain, writes, "engineers are working side by side with unskilled laborers who are paid nearly twice as high wages. The dustman is paid higher; the busman is, by comparison, an aristocrat."

Of course, such a condition cannot be permanent. But while it exists it is the underlying cause of the present unrest in labor circles generally in Britain with demands from the skilled trades for large increases certain just as soon as they deem it most advantageous to make the move.

TEST OF GREATNESS

WHAT is the test of greatness? Is it initiative? Is it aggressiveness? Is it mental brilliance? We do not think so.

Perhaps it is humility, because no matter how brilliant, no matter how aggressive or how much initiative a man has, he is not great unless he has humility.

It seems that an author must insert a bit of humility into his hero if he wishes him to live in literature.

In Paris a literary society now awards a prize to the author of the worst book of the year. Many authors on this continent are trembling for fear somebody might start something like that over here.

"5-bisacetoxymeruriocresol,4-nitro-3". That is not a mistake but the correct name of a new antiseptic which is described as the most efficient yet compounded. It is to be called metaphen for short. Dr. Raiziss, who discovered it, says that it is eleven times as effective as bichloride of mercury and diluted to one part in twenty million it is strong powerful enough to destroy bacterial life. Its value lies in it carrying little poisonous action when injected into the muscles.

Charles F. Murphy, the most successful of Tammany Hall chiefs, who died last week after holding power for twenty-two years, always refused to answer caustic attacks or misrepresentation. "I have lived in this city all my life; my neighbors know me," he once said in giving his political creed. "It is the fate of political leaders to be reviled. If one is too thin-skinned to stand it, he should never take the job. History shows the better and more successful the organization and the leader, the more bitter the attacks. Success is always a target."

CULINARY NOTE

From The Carolina Boll Weevil

The most stirring passages ever written are found in the cook book.

THIS OLD YOUNG AGE

From The Altamont Times

Times are changing. The young folks now tell the old folks when to go to bed.

A LABOR MINISTER'S VIEW

I believe that a Constitution which enables an engine-cleaner of yesterday to be a Secretary of State of to-day is a great Constitution.—J. H. Thomas.

GRAVE TASK AHEAD

J. L. Garvin in The Observer (London)

. . . We must hope for the best and strive for it to the utmost. We cannot be relieved for a long time yet from the duty of reckoning with the worse event, and even with the worst contingency. The gravest task that ever lay before civilization is to strengthen the institutions of peace. While the world is full of armed forces and agencies of destruction we cannot allow our country and the Commonwealth to be at their mercy. The twentieth century may go the right way, but it may go the wrong. It may prove the most terrible of centuries. We must look the magnitude of that possibility in the face if we are to arouse the full effort to avert it. To that end, we require what has not yet begun, a supreme movement of human conscience and purpose.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Receive us; we have wronged no man, we have corrupted no man, we have defrauded no man.—II. Corinthians vii., 2.

AUTUMNAL

From David Morton's "Harvest."

I shall come home, under the Autumn stars,
And entering in across the lighted sill,
Be glad of red coals glowing through the bars,
To warm my hands . . . and this strange, inner chill.

For I have walked old, lonely roads to-day,
Where thin and yellow sunlight seemed afloat
With mist and wood-smoke that have still their way
Of drawing something tight about the throat.

I shall feel safer when I close the door,—
Against the dark's vague, tugging griefs and fears;
For there, where twilight falls across the floor,
Will be a sense of grey, assembled years,—
Old friends and wise with whom I learned to make
A way of smiling when the heart would break.

Dr. Frank Crane on "What to Do Right Now"

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ALMOST anybody knows what to do in an ideal world. But the world is not ideal.

Almost anybody knows what to do if conditions were only so and so. But usually conditions are quite the reverse.

What we need to know is What to Do now.

When the young man asks the young woman to marry him, nine times out of ten she does not know what to say. But the difficulty is she has to say something. If it is not Yes, it must be No.

And most of the decisions of life are of this difficult character. We have a great deal of sympathy for indecisive people. They are usually persons of great sensitiveness and with a strong sense of responsibility. They hesitate to decide because they fear their decision will be wrong.

They should cheer up. The decisions of most of us are wrong and they are made quickly by decisive people, not because they know what is right, but because they have discovered it is better to say something quick and see what happens.

We are constantly confronted by conditions that baffle us.

No mothers knows how to bring up a child. Meanwhile she has to bring him up.

No one can tell you the difference between the parties; that is, any sort of difference entitled to intellectual respect. Meanwhile we must vote one way or the other. Here comes in the party machine, which reckons on this ignorance and helplessness of the voter, who, in despair, votes the straight ticket.

Who knows the truth about the various creeds? Still we feel that we ought to go to church.

It is this feeling of helplessness that keeps alive great institutions and supports great pretensions. For the common man knows that he does not know and, in despair, looks about for some one to tell him what to decide.

And any teacher or prophet or institution that comes along with a positive message attracts him. He may not believe what the apostle says, but at least it is a way out and much more comfortable than deciding for himself.

It has been said that people hate to think. There is something they hate more; and that is to come to a conclusion.

Not one Socialist in ten thousand ever reasoned himself into Socialism. Not one religionist in ten thousand ever reasoned himself into the particular fold where he has landed. And probably no patriot ever intelligently chose his own country.

We are shoved into these compartments one way or another and, instead of having to decide where we should go, we employ our minds in the much simpler business of proving to ourselves and everybody else that where we are is the best.

Still it is only by the exercise of our own judgment; it is only by shouldering our own responsibilities that we grow in stature.

Making decisions and coming to conclusions is undoubtedly hard work. But so is sawing wood and mauling rails. But we gain moral and intellectual sinew in the first instance as we gain brawn and muscle in the second.

Beginning of the Great Hudson's Bay Company

IT WAS on Friday, May 2, 1670 that certain gentlemen of England were admitted to an audience with that polished monarch, Charles II. There was present Prince Rupert, cousin of the King, hero of the Royalists twenty-five years gone as the dashing leader of cavalry. Others too, his associates, were in attendance, probably all the first committee, Sir John Robinson, Sir Robert Viner, Sir Peter Colleton, James Hayes, John Kirke, Francis Millington, John Portman. No doubt, too, the Duke of York, brother of His Majesty and later to be briefly King as James II., the Duke of Albermarle, the Earl of Arlington, the Earl of Craven, the Earl of Shaftesbury, who had all invested in the adventure thus being set afoot, were part of the galaxy of rank and talent which graced this great occasion. There also stood the tall, lithe figure of Pierre Radisson, command and grace in his bearing, resource, intelligence, pride stamped on his swarthy countenance. His Majesty handed to Prince Rupert kneeling as Governor a roll of parchment from which dangled on a silken cord a red disc of wax impressed with the Privy Seal of England. It was the charter of "The Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson's Bay." That roll of five great sheets of sheepskin with its seal intact, most reverently preserved and readable as on that day of presentation, rests to-day in the historic board room of Hudson's Bay House in London.

Two hundred and fifty-four years that charter has stood and remains yet valid, though details have been modified by agreement. Well and truly was it drawn and in every succeeding age the most brilliant legal advice has confirmed its soundness. Two hundred and fifty-years have the Gentlemen Adventurers governed their affairs so sagaciously that their power and wealth is undiminished, though they have relinquished with the changing times their territorial to the Dominion of Canada. And for all that time the Great Company has been, as it still is, one of the most powerful influences on our country's life.

"WHEREAS," reads the old document, "our dear and entirely beloved cousin, Prince Rupert, Count Palatine of the Rhine,"—and certain noblemen, knights, gentlemen and citizens of London whose names are here set in as already mentioned, "Have, at their own great cost and charges, undertaken an expedition for Hudson's Bay in the Northwest part of America, for the discovery of a new passage in the South Sea, and for the finding of some trade for furs, minerals, and other considerable commodities, and by such their undertaking, have already made such discoveries as do encourage them to proceed further in pursuance of their said design, by means whereof there may probably arise very great advantage to us and our kingdom. We give, grant, and confirm, unto the said Governor and Company, and their successors, the sole trade and commerce of all those seas, streights, bays, rivers, lakes, creeks and sounds, in whatsoever latitude they shall be, that lie within the entrance of the streights commonly called Hudson's streights, together with all the lands, countries and territories, upon the coasts and confines of the seas, streights, bays, lakes, rivers, creeks and sounds, aforesaid, which are not now actually possessed by any of our subjects or by the subjects of any other Christian prince or state. . . . And further we create the said Governor and Company for the time being, and their successors, the true and absolute lords and proprietors of the same territory, limits and places aforesaid."

Thus unwitting Charles II. granted away more than a million square miles of the surface of the New World to his friends. It cost him nothing personally and it might enrich his country and himself. The royal fee for all these favors, however, was only nominal—two black elks and two black beavers at whatever time he or his successors should set foot in these lands thus granted.

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Greenleaf, defending champion, and Allen, former champion, were tied with eight games won and four lost when the twelve-game tournament for the championship concluded last night.

Greenleaf's run of 83 was a record for the championship tournament. He was presented with a diamond medal.

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It should be acclaimed by them as no less priceless an asset than this Province's wonderful climate and unrivalled scenery. Indeed, even in these two possessions, British Columbia's forest glory is an all-important adjunct.

The status of an industry is determined by the supply of the raw material, the capital invested in its manufacture and the value of the product to the public.

DEMAND IS FOR EIGHTY PER CENT SOFT WOOD

This Province has to-day between $150,000,000 and $200,000,000 hard cash actually sunk in the conversion of one of earth's most unique natural resources into world-wide necessities of the highest grade.

The truly fortunate position of British Columbia as a forest area is better realized when two comparatively unknown facts are brought forward and emphasized.

Firstly, that less than one-third of the world's lumber supply is soft wood, and secondly, that the demand for soft wood is four times as great as that for hard wood.

Between a fifth and a quarter of the whole area of British Columbia is forest land, to be more precise 50,000,000 out of 226,000,000 acres. This huge territory contains half the soft wood in the Dominion, one-third of the British Empire's total supply, and about one-ninth of all the soft-wood on the surface of the globe.

It must be borne in mind that the species indigenous to British Columbia are not the smaller and common conifers of Europe and Eastern Canada, but woods of outstanding properties such as the imperishable Red Cedar, the unique aeroplane spruce and that king of all soft woods, Douglas fir. All of these trees represent the most desirable qualities that soft wood can possess.

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So much for the raw material and its valuable properties. The enormous investment referred to above maintains no less than 3,620 firms, large and small, directly engaged in the manufacture and distribution of forest products of the annual value of $70,000,000. These concerns are numbered as under:

Four hundred and forty-two sawmills, box mills, sash and door plants, etc.; ninty-five shingle mills, six pulp and paper mills, 2,640 logging camps (including poet and tie), 208 lumber wholesale exporters, dealers and timber brokers; thirteen forest products manufacturing firms, 205 wood yards—a total of 2,609 firms handling British Columbia forest products exclusively.

These figures show where the British Columbia logging and lumber industry stands to-day, and with the encouragement of fresh capital and a policy of preservation of our timber resources the future years should see an expansion of great extent tending to the population increasing and wealth of the citizens of British Columbia. (Advt.)

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Centre Cut Loins Pork, per lb. ..... 29¢
Legs Prime Lamb, per lb. ..... 42¢
Fresh Pork Tenderloins, per lb. ..... 42¢
Fresh Pork Spare Ribs, per lb. ..... 15¢
Flank Steaks, per lb. ..... 20¢

GROCETERIA SPECIALS—Cash and Carry

Finest Raisins, per lb. ..... 9½¢
White Swan Naptha Soap, per bar ..... 4¢
Solar Brand Pineapple, per tin ..... 20¢
Empress Greengage or Plum Jam, 4's, per tin ..... 65¢
Pure Ontario Honey, large, per tin ..... 89¢
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10's, per sack 38¢
Shredded Wheat Biscuits, per pkt. 11½¢
Roger's Syrup, 5's, per tin ..... 39¢
—Lower Main Floor

PROVISION COUNTER SPECIALS

Spencer's Standard Picnic Hams, per pound 15¢
Spencer's Standard Bacon, half or whole side; per pound ..... 32¢
Spencer's Superior Brand Butter, per pound 50¢
3 pounds for $1.48
Spencer's Prime Brand Butter, per pound 46¢
3 pounds $1.35
Spencer's Springfield Brand Butter, pound 38¢
Spencer's Own Pure Beef Dripping, 2 pounds for ..... 25¢
Spencer's Standard Back Bacon, sliced; per pound ..... 38¢
Spencer's Standard Ayrshire Roll, pound 40¢ and ..... 35¢
Spencer's Pride Side Bacon, sliced; pound 45¢
Spencer's Pride Peameal Bacon, sliced; at, per pound ..... 50¢
Pure Lard, per pound ..... 18¢
Spencer's Standard Hams, half or whole; per pound ..... 28¢
Spencer's Own Roast Pork, per pound ..... 50¢
Spencer's Own Jellied Veal, per pound ..... 45¢
Spencer's Own Corned Beef, per pound ..... 43¢
Spencer's Own Ox Tongue, per pound ..... 75¢
Spencer's Own Weenies, per pound ..... 30¢
Spencer's Own Veal Loaf, per pound ..... 30¢
Preserved Ginger, special, per pound ..... 25¢
Potato Salad, fresh daily; per pound ..... 22¢
Mild Canadian Cheese, per pound ..... 25¢
Real Snappy Canadian Cheese, per pound ..... 24¢
Imported Gorgonzola Cheese, per pound ..... 75¢

Candy Specials

Mixed Candy, per lb. ..... 25¢
Fancy Mixed Candy, per lb. ..... 40¢

Bakery Specials

Iced Cup Cakes, per dozen ..... 25¢
Jam Tarts, per dozen ..... 20¢
Saturday Only.

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Our Great Sale of Sweaters
CONTINUES SATURDAY

We Bought 1,000 Sweaters, a Manufacturer's Surplus Stock, Which We Are Clearing Out, Giving You An Opportunity To Save a Third Or More On The Purchase of Your Summer Sweater. The Sweaters Are All This Season's Styles, Featuring Every Color and Color Combination.

All-wool Collarless Style Sweaters, pullovers with long sleeves and cord girdle. Shades are pearl, camel and peacock. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $2.00 values for **$1.25**

Cardigan Sweaters with long sleeves, jacquettes, slipovers and Tuxedos with lace vest. These are shown in many colors and color combinations. The jacquettes have brushed wool collars or are plain knit. Sizes 36 to 42 for **$2.50**

Cardigans of superior grade mohair, camel hair and brushed wool; mostly in camel, grey and brown. Many of them are the same styles we have sold for as high as $7.95. Sizes to 42. On sale for..... **$4.95**

Stylish Sleeveless Cardigan Sweaters, the popular four-button style with V neck. They are shown in plain colors and a variety of two-tone mixtures and fancy checks. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale, each **$1.79**

Sweaters in brushed wool, plain knit and novelty stitch; Cardigans and Tuxedos in plain colors and checks; silk and wool Jacquettes in fancy mixed color combinations and plain colors. All fine grade garments worth almost the sale price..... **$3.95**

Smart Sweaters with plain knit back and sleeves and brushed wool fronts, with fancy stripes. The shades are fawn with mauve and black stripes, and fawn with scarlet stripes. On sale at **$5.95**

Silk and Wool Cardigans of fine quality, well finished in many handsome patterns and color effects, including peacock, camel, jade, tomato, honeydew and black with white trimmings and combinations. All sizes on sale at..... **$6.95**
—Sweaters, First Floor

SILKS ON SALE SATURDAY

40-inch Navy Faille, a beautiful silk in a bright sheen; suitable for dresses or millinery. At, a yard **$3.25**

36-Inch Figured Marocain, excellent weight material of silk and cotton mixture and neat design. Fawn, nigger, white, mauve, sky, Ameer blue and Saxe. On sale at .. **$1.98**

40-inch Silk Georgette, all silk, medium weight, in a large range of colors. A yard at **$1.98**

40-inch Silk Canton, a superior grade Canton and a perfect weight for dresses. Grey, biscuit, navy and black. A yard .. **$3.75**
—Silks, Main Floor

Children's Pleated Skirts, Each $1.98 and $2.98

Children's Navy Serge Pleated Skirts of good grade, made with white bodice attached and buttoned down front. Sizes for the ages of 6 to 14 years. On sale for **$1.98**

Pleated Skirts of a high-grade serge, and homespun in light blue and green. These are made with bodice attached and are for the ages of 6 to 16 years. On sale for **$2.98**
—Children's, First Floor

New Dress Goods—Big Values

40-inch Fancy Wool Serge, all wool and right weight for dresses; nigger, sand, medium and dark grey. A yard at **$1.59**

54-Inch Wool Marocain, very much in demand for dresses. Sand, black, navy, grey and beaver. A yard **$3.50**

46-inch Wool Crispene, an inexpensive and strong material for dresses; makes up well. Shades are sand, black, navy, grey and brown. A yard **$2.50**

31-inch all-wool Middy Flannel, suitable for dresses, sports suits or middies. Warmth-giving and light; black, medium and dark navy; sand, Saxe, cope, green, grey, Crabapple, mauve, orchid, brown, henna, Paddy. A yard for **$1.15**
—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Women's and Children's Knit Underwear—Summer Weights Big Values

Women's Fine-knit Cotton Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee. They have gusset, and are in shades grey, mauve, sky, white and pink. Sizes 36 to 40. Reg. 65c values for **50¢**

Zimmerknit Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee. Double gusset; flesh, white, sky and mauve. Sizes 36 to 40. A pair ..... **75¢**

Women's Zimmerknit Lisle Bloomers, with band at waist and elastic at knee. Double gusset. Colors pink and mauve. Sizes 36 to 40. A pair **$1.50**

Women's Vests, with short and no sleeves, opera top, made of excellent weight cotton. Sev- Each **$1.00**

Women's Fine Rib Cotton Vests, with low neck, short and no sleeves, opera tops, fancy lace yokes. Sizes 36 to 44. Each ..... **50¢**

Children's Fine Knit Cotton Slip-over Vests, with wide shoulder straps and short sleeves. For 4 to 14 years. On sale **3** for **$1.00**

Children's Zimmerknit Cotton Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee and gusset. Sizes for 2 to 12 years ..... **50¢**
—Knit Underwear, First Floor

Bandeau Brassieres on Sale 49c

Bandeau Brassieres, of white novelty cotton. Back hook, elastic inset in back, and tape shoulder straps. Sizes 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42. On sale for ..... **49¢**
—Corsets, First Floor

PORCH DRESSES
A New Shipment, Special Value, Each $3.49

Porch Dresses of excellent grade ginghams, patterned in check and plaid effects. Made in six different styles, and a wide assortment of colors. These are most excellent values. At **$3.49**
—Whitewear, First Floor

Women's Gloves, Priced for Quick Selling

Novelty Suede Fabric Gloves, with turn back cuffs in trellis work effect. Grey and beaver. A pair **$1.25**

Kayser Heavy Grade Silk Gloves, with double finger tips, all the most wanted shades; beaver, silver grey, brown, sand, pongee, steel grey, black and white. A pair **$1.50**

Kayser Elbow Length Silk Gloves, heavy quality, double tips and shades are beaver, grey, pongee, navy, silver. A pair **$2.00**

Elbow-length Suede Fabric Gloves, with fancy stitch embroidery in attractive designs; biscuit, beaver, grey. A pair **$2.25**

Suede Fabric Gauntlet Gloves, of fine quality and superior finish. They have strap fasteners at wrist and deep cuffs. Shades are beaver, mode, beige, sand, nigger, grey, black. On sale, a pair **$1.25**

French Kid Gauntlet Gloves, high grade, white only, with black stitching, wide cuffs and strap fastener. All sizes. Regular $4.50. A pair **$2.98**

Suede Fabric, Novelty Gauntlet Gloves, embroidered, fringed and block printed novelty cuffs. Sizes 7 and 7½. Nigger, sand, cocoa brown, grey and biscuit. Reg. $1.75 for ..... **89¢**

Novelty Gauntlet Gloves, of washable suede fabric, with reversible flare cuffs, hand-painted rosebud design. Sizes 6, 6½, 7 and 7½. Grey, brown, beaver, pastel, chamois. Regular $1.25 for ..... **89¢**
—Gloves, Main Floor

Ladies' Ice Wool Scarves, $3.75

Beautiful Ice Wool Scarves, in pretty mixed colorings, with striped ends. An excellent choice. Big value. On sale at **$3.75**
—Main Floor

Hosiery Priced to Make a Busy Day Saturday

Women's Ribbed Artificial Silk Hose, English make, with wool top and sole. The shades are champagne, brown, white, elk grey, oyster and silver. Special, a pair **$2.50**

Full-fashioned Fine Lisle Hose, with widened garter tops, spliced toes and heels. Black, brown and white **75¢**

Women's Ribbed Lisle Hose, with reinforced heel, soles and toes; black, brown, fawn, sponge, mouse and light grey **$1.00**

Women's Cotton Hose, with spliced heels and toes; black, brown and white. Sizes 8½ to 10 ..... **25¢**

Women's Fine Ribbed Lisle Hose, with hemmed tops, black, chestnut brown, meadow lark and white **65¢**

Women's Fine Silk Hose, with novelty lace clox. Shades are white, brown, camel, beige, polo and new grey. A pair ..... **50¢**

Ribbed Top Lisle Hose, with reinforced foot. Size 8½, 9½ and 10. Black, brown, grebe, dove and white. At, **75¢** and ..... **85¢**

Women's Thread Silk Hose, with mercerized garter hem, seamless feet and seam up back of leg; black, brown, camel, sand, white and nickel. A pair **$1.50**

Children's Extra Heavy Cotton Hose, heels and toes reinforced with extra thread; sizes 6 to 11; and priced according to size, **50¢, 60¢**

Women's Silk Hose, with ribbed elastic tops and reinforced feet. Shades are black, brown, white, camel, beaver, navy, nigger, pearl grey, new silver, nude, dove, Oriental, suede and log cabin. A pair at **$2.00**

Children's "Buster Brown's" Sister's Stockings, brown, black, white and camel, **50¢** and ..... **75¢**

Children's Three-quarter Silk and Wool Socks, plain knit with fancy rib top, reinforced feet. Cadet, sand, jasper and white ..... **98¢**

Children's Three-quarter Length Ribbed Lisle Hose, with turn-over tops. Sizes 7, 7½, 8, 8½ and 9. Romper, sand, black and white **65¢**
—Hosiery, Main Floor

Men's English Made Fur Felt Hats

Hats made by Joseph E. Ward designed in smart styles showing the new fashions. Shades, light green, light and dark pearl, biscuit, medium grey. Welted edges and semi-roll brims. On sale at $4.50
—Hats, Main Floor

100 Men's Tweed Suits, To Sell Saturday. Regular $16.50 Value, For $10.00

Men's Suits of a good grade, hard-wearing tweed and Irish worsted. Suits that are well tailored and look well. They are made in three-button models and the colors are good. Sizes 36 to 44. Values $16.50 for **$10.00**

Men's Tweed Pants, made of heavy and medium weight materials; well lined and trimmed. They will give great service. Reg. $3.95 value for **$2.95**

Men's Odd Vests, made from ends of cloth. They are well finished and trimmed. Shades are grey, brown, blue and mixed tweeds. On sale at **$1.95**
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

100 Boys' Suits to Sell on Saturday, Each $5.00

This is surely a surprise offering and will bring a crowd of customers. The suits are made of excellent weight tweeds, tailored remarkably well and trimmed with excellent materials. They are in belter models and shown in brown, blue and grey. Sizes 26 to 36. A real bargain for **$5.00**
—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

Drug Sundries and Toiletries
Special List of Saturday Money Savers

Aspirin Tablets, Wyeth's, 100 tablets for ..... **45¢**

Wilson's Invalid Port, $1.75 size for **$1.17**

Aromatic Cascara, 25c size, **17¢**

Glycerine and Rosewater, full strength, 25c size for ..... **15¢**

Blaud's Pills, 100 Blaud's Iron Tonic Pills for ..... **25¢**

Peroxide, 25c bottle..... **17¢**
65c bottle ..... **45¢**

Malt Extract, finest Scotch, 1-lb. tin ..... **45¢**
5-lb. tin **$1.50**

Fruitatives, large size..... **40¢**

Emulsified Cocoanut Oil Shampoo, 50c size..... **25¢**

Vinolia Castile Soap, 25c bars, **3** for ..... **55¢**

Minty's Skin Food, keeps the skin clear, clean and healthy, **50¢** for ..... **35¢**

French Ivory Combs, 75c values for ..... **38¢**

Hair Brushes, detachable cushion, white backs; $2.50 values, for **$1.75**
—Main Floor

Boys' Furnishings on Sale Saturday

Boys' Light-weight All-wool Jerseys, plain colors or with breast stripes. They are made to button on the shoulder and shown in various sizes. At **$1.29**

Boys' Cotton Shirt-waists, with turn-down collar attached; they are patterned in light, fancy assorted stripes and plain colors. All sizes. On sale, each ..**59¢**

Boys' Athletic Brand Cream Elastic Rib Combinations, suitable for Spring and Summer wear. They have closed crotch, long sleeves and knee length. All sizes. Special $1.35 and $1.50. On sale for, a suit..**98¢**

Boys' Natural Balbriggan Drawers for Spring wear. All sizes. Reg. 50c and 60c. On sale, a pair ..... **39¢**

Boys' Natural Balbriggan Combinations, short sleeves and knee length. All sizes, a suit ...**75¢**

Boys' White Dimity Athletic Combinations, without sleeves and knee length. All sizes. Special, a suit ..... **85¢**

Boys' Fibre Silk Knitted Ties, assorted stripes. Each ...**29¢**

Boys' Elastic Belts, with school or club colors. They have snake fastener and are offered at **50¢**

Boys' Cambric Handkerchiefs, on sale, **3** for ..... **25¢**

Boys' Fast Color Butcher Blue Duck Shirt Waists, with turn-down collar or free neck. Special each **$1.25**

Boys' Khaki Twill Cotton Shirts, suitable for school or camp. They have turn-down collar and pocket with buttoned-down flap. On sale for **$1.35**
The same Shirt, longer in sleeves and larger in body **$1.50**
—Main Floor

Men's Handkerchiefs

Fine Twill Handkerchiefs, in soft finish, **35¢, 3** for **$1.00**

Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs, with printed borders, each **20¢,** or **3** for ..... **50¢**

Women's Coats
Two Bargain Values For Saturday
$19.75 and $25.00

Striped Polo Cloth Coats in two-tone effects. They are smartly designed, having gathered collars, turnback cuffs on sleeves, and are half lined. Also Velour Cloth Coats in the favored shades, very dressy and trimmed with embroidery; have side tie and are half lined. On sale, each..... **$19.75**

Coats of Duvetyne and Polo Cloth, in one button fastening or side tie effects. These are neatly embroidered in contrasting shades and are decidedly attractive. Other coats are in stripe effects, with narrow braid trimmings and fully lined. The shades are buff or sand, and stripes. Sizes 16 to 42. On sale at **$25.00**
These are two of the best values in the city to-day.
—Mantles, First Floor

Women's Handbags Big Values

Women's Leather Handbags, envelope style, in assorted leathers. Special, each **$1.59**

Vanity Boxes in a choice of styles and shapes, fitted with full size mirror, small purse and compact. Brown, grey, black and fawn **$2.95**

Leather Handbags in envelope and satchel styles, on strong frames and a wide choice of leathers, plain or grained effects. Big value **$2.95**

Pouch Bags, in all the newest shapes, on fancy and novelty frames; many shades. **$2.25** to **$5.95**
—Handbags, Main Floor

SHOE SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY
Values That Are Money Savers for You and Styles That Are the Very Newest

"Zev" and "Hollywood" Sandals, the season's most popular shoe styles. These are shown in patent leather, grey suede, Airedale and beige suede. Shoes that are noted for neatness and comfort. $6.00 values for..... **$4.95**

Women's Oxfords at $4.95, are remarkable values. They are serviceable, for everyday, and very neat. Black kid Oxfords, brown calf Oxfords, brown and black calf Brogues, and grey buck Brogues. All up-to-date lasts and all styles of heels. On sale at **$4.95**

Crepe Rubber Sandals for Children, that will give double the wear of the ordinary shoe. They are of brown and white canvas. Sizes 4 to 10..... **$1.25**
Sizes 11 to 2 at **$1.35**
—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Big Boot Values for Men on Saturday

Just glance over these Special Boot Values offered on Saturday and you will be one of the customers that will visit the department.

Men's Fine Dress Boots and Oxfords, shown in all the new styles. In these are included brown calf and black calf boots, and Oxfords and brogues. The styles in favor. On sale, a pair **$4.95**

Leather-lined English-made Boots, in black box calf. Sizes 6 to 8, and light-weight brown Calf Boots, with welted soles and medium round toe. On sale, a pair **$3.95**

Men's Light-weight Summer Work Boots, with light tan elk uppers and flexible, solid oak tanned soles and rubber heels. They have dirt-excluding tongue; bicycle pattern. On sale for **$4.95**

Men's Heavy Rubber Sole Sports Boots, that will give the wearer long service. The soles are of extra weight, the uppers reinforced with leather. Men's sizes, 6 to 10, at **$3.00**
Boys' sizes, 1 to 5, at **$2.75**
—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

A Sale of Men's Shirts, Underwear, Socks and Ties—To-morrow

5 Dozen Only Men's Fine Shirts, made with a printed percale body and silk stripe front and cuffs. All sizes except 15. Regular value $2.00. On sale for **$1.49**

Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts, made with turn-down collar and pocket. All sizes. Reg. $1.35 value. On sale for ..... **98¢**

25 Dozen Men's Fine Cotton Socks, with reinforced heels and toes; brown, grey and black. Reg. 25c. Special, 3 pairs for ..... **50¢**

Men's Fine Cotton Socks, with reinforced toe and heel. Colors and black. On sale, a pair **25¢**

Men's Silk-finished Lisle Socks, with double feet, heels and toes. Colors and black. 40c a pair. 2 pairs for ..... **75¢**

Men's All-wool Cashmere Socks, colors and black. Special, a pair ..... **50¢**

Men's Black Cashmere Socks, imported; have red toe and heel. A serviceable sock. Special, 65c a pair; **2** pairs **$1.25**

Men's White, Pin Check Athletic Style Combinations, without sleeves, short knee-length. Special, a suit ..... **89¢**

Men's Fibre Silk Knitted Ties, fancy and bar stripes, 25 dozen to clear. Reg. 50c. On sale for ..... **39¢**

Men's Silk and Wool Crepe Ties, that will keep in shape. Stripes, polka dots and Paisley designs. Reg. $1.50 for **$1.29**

Men's Silk Ties, new shapes and fancy stripes, brocades and plain colors. On sale, **$1.00**

Men's Chamoisette Gloves, 25 dozen to clear; small sizes only; grey, putty only. Reg. $1.50. On sale, a pair .. **50¢**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Tweed Caps at $1.00

10 Dozen Boys' Caps, in light and dark tweeds, shown in well assorted colors. They are well lined; have unbreakable stitched peaks, and sizes are 6¼ to 7. On sale **$1.00**
—Main Floor

Men's Hats, $3.50

Men's English and Canadian-made Felt Hats, in new styles and a well-assorted range of shades. Size 6⅝ to 7⅝. Special value, each **$3.50**
—Men's Hats, Main Floor

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Week-End Specials
KIRKHAM'S
Groceries, Fresh Meats, Provisions, Fruit

Our "Rotary" Brand Bulk Coffee, reg. 45c lb. ..... **39¢**
Fancy Paper Doylies, reg. value 10c to 15c per pkt. for ..... **5¢**
Shelled Almonds, reg. 50c lb. **35¢**
Sultana Raisins, 2 lbs. for .. **21¢**
Soap Flakes, bulk, **2** lbs. for **35¢**
Royal City Canned Strawberries, size 2, reg. 35c ..... **25¢**
Kellogg's Bran Flakes, per pkt. **11¢**
Crystallized Ginger, reg. 40c lb. **32¢**
Akron Gloss Starch, per pkt... **10¢**
2 in 1 Shoe Polish, any color, reg. 12c per tin, **3** for ..... **29¢**

B. C. Sugar, 20 lbs. **$1.92**

Lunch Tongues, 1's, reg. 55c .. **49¢**
Sockeye Salmon, large, reg. 45c **35¢**
Empress Baking Powder, 12-oz., reg. 25c ..... **19¢**
Pure Raspberry Jam, Salt Spring Island, 4-lb. tins, reg. 95c... **80¢**
Regal Shaker Salt, reg. 15c .. **12¢**
Casco Potato Flour, reg. 20c pkt. ..... **16¢**
Welch' Grape Juice, pints, reg. 38c ..... **30¢**
Pink Salmon, halves, **3** tins for **17¢**
Okanagan Tomatoes, size 2½ .. **15¢**

Robin Hood Flour, 49-lb. sack, Special at **$1.75**

Dutch Tea Rusks, reg. 25c .... **21¢**
Chocolate Mint Wafer Biscuits, reg. 25c pkt. ..... **20¢**
Neilson's Rosebuds, reg. 60c lb. **49¢**
Royal Mixture, reg. 25c lb.... **20¢**
Christie's Graham Wafers, reg. 40c tin ..... **34¢**
Callard & Bowser's Butterscotch, reg. 20c pkt., **2** for ..... **33¢**
Rum and Butter Toffee, reg. 50c lb. ..... **39¢**

Very Fine Alberta Potatoes, per sack **$2.25**

Sweet Oranges, per doz. ..... **20¢**
California Grape Fruit, each... **5¢**
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, lb... **40¢**
Nice Juicy Lemons, per doz... **25¢**
Fresh Rhubarb, per lb. ..... **5¢**
Local Asparagus, per bunch .. **30¢**

EXTRA SPECIAL
Finest Government Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **34¢**
Three pounds for ..... **98¢**

Smoked Picnic Hams, lb. ..... **14¢**
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, lb. **13¢**
Wild Rose Sugar-cured Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... **27¢**
Cottage Rolls, smoked, lb..... **17¢**
Mild Canadian Cheese, lb. .... **24¢**
Swift's Lard, 3 lbs. ..... **50¢**
per lb. ..... **17¢**
Peanut Butter, per lb. ..... **18¢**
Lean Peameal Back Bacon, whole or half back, per lb. ..... **32¢**

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First Quality New Zealand Lamb Loins, per lb. ..... **35¢**
First Quality New Zealand Lamb Legs, per lb. ..... **40¢**
Rolled Oven Roasts and Pot Roasts, per lb., **17¢** and ..... **14¢**
Pork Shoulders, per lb., **17¢** and ..... **13¢**
Nice Veal Roasts, per lb. ..... **22¢**
Stewing Veal, per lb. ..... **15¢**
Pot Roasts and Beef Brisket, per lb., **10¢** and ..... **8¢**

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at this bakery display to-morrow and you'll note that Madeira cake is specially priced at 20c. It looks good, it tastes good and it's mighty good value at this special price.

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UTILIZE TIMES WANT ADS

IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

GIRL WINS FORD SEDAN AS PRIZE

Much Interest Taken in Drawing at Trades Council's Successful Dance

Miss Elsie Phillips of the Savoy Mansions, was the lucky winner of the Tudor Ford Sedan given away in connection with the very successful dance held at the Armories last evening under the auspices of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council. Her winning ticket number was 1,939.

A crowd estimated at nearly 2,000 attended the affair, which was such a success that it was decided to make it an annual dance. The twenty-four-piece orchestra supplied by the Musicians' Union, gave an excellent programme of music, and encores were frequently demanded and generously given.

For the pleasure of those who did not dance, cards were arranged in the balconies. Supper was served under the direction of Mr. Bouch of the Chamber of Commerce dining-room.

The committees responsible for the success of the dance were as follows. Finance, Messrs. Copeland, Howard, Woodward, Green, Nunn; music, Messrs. Peele, Copeland, Thomas, Rose, Marsh, Wiley; illuminations, Messrs. Marsh, Reid; refreshments, Messrs. Cooks and Walters; floor, Messrs. Oliver and Johnston; tickets, Messrs. Smith and Howard; hall, Mr. Woodward; publicity, Messrs. Moriarty and Crowe; tombola, Messrs. Rose and Howard; street car signs, Mr. Nunn; decorations, Mr. Marsh; floor, Messrs. Oliver, Elsmore, Kettle, Zegler, Johnson and Jones.

TAG TO-MORROW FOR SAILORS' CLUBS

Tag Day Proceeds to Replenish Supplies in Anticipation of Fleet's Coming

A tag day will be held to-morrow in aid of the Connaught Seamen's Institute and the Sailors' Club at Esquimalt. Mrs. Thomson and Mrs. Wilders will act as conveners. The following is a list of stations:

Empress, Mrs. Wilders; Causeway, Mrs. Stewart Williams and Miss Lyon McKenzie; Post Office, Women's Canadian Club; Weiler's corners, H.M.S. Resolution, I.O.D.E.; Bank of Montreal, four corners, Mrs. Gilliatt; Yates and Fort, Miss Roberts; Market, Local Council of Women and Friendly Help; Yates and Broad, Mrs. Bass; City Hall, Mrs. Wood; Broad and View, Mrs. Wilders; Fort and Broad, Mrs. Sayer; Yates and Douglas, Catholic Women's League; Public Library, St. George's; Fort and Douglas, Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E.; Douglas and View, Navy League Chapter, I.O. D.E.; Hudson's Bay, Esquimalt branch, Ladies' Guild for Sailors; Spencer's, Mrs. Kirkham; Government and Fort, Mrs. V. Thomson; theatres, Mrs. Alice Thomson; boats, Mr. Fraunche.

Boxes may be obtained from the headquarters, Messrs. Melrose & Co., Fort Street, this afternoon from 4 to 5, Saturday from 8.15 a.m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O. D.E., will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. McAdam, 1420 Begbie Street, on Monday, May 5, at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as business of importance is to be discussed.

Address on First Aid—The Mothers' Welcome League of Esquimalt met yesterday afternoon in the parish hall, St. Paul's, and heard an address by the president, Mrs. Booth, on first aid. Special directions were given for cases requiring prompt action, such a choking and fainting. A social hour was enjoyed after the lecture and tea was served by the refreshment committee. Mrs. Booth will hold a meeting of the home nursing class on Thursday, May 8.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Goss of Everett, is spending a few days in Victoria on business.

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Mrs. Henry G. Barber of Vancouver, is visiting her son, Mr. H. B. Barber, 859 Cormorant Street.

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Mr. A. A. Hocks and daughter of Lytton, B.C., are spending a few days in Victoria, and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

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Miss C. M. Jewell, who has been a guest in Victoria for the past two weeks, left this afternoon for Vancouver.

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Miss Dawson of Victoria is spending a few days in Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. Stephen Wallbridge, Shaughnessy Heights.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Binns Johnson have returned to Vancouver after being guests at Government House for a few days.

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Countess d'Audiffret was the guest of honor at a tea given by the wife and daughters of the Italian Consul in Vancouver on Tuesday afternoon.

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Miss Better with her niece, Miss Letitia Better, have left for their home in Vancouver after visiting Mrs. Herrick McGregor for the past ten days.

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Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Troup took a party of about twenty guests to the Tulip Festival at Bellingham to-day. They motored to Sidney where they boarded the Motor Princess.

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Mr. T. R. Cusack returned to the city this morning on the Ss. Makura after a trip to Honolulu and is much improved in health as a result of his holiday.

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Mrs. W. H. Belson, who has been guest of Sir Richard and Lady Lake, 1280 Newport Avenue, during the I. O.D.E. meeting, left to-day for her home at Deep Bay.

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Mrs. Withers and her son, Mr. F. Withers, arrived from Australia this morning on the Makura on a visit to her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, 1932 St. Ann Street.

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A delightful surprise party at which Mrs. Sweeney of Linden Ave. was the unsuspecting hostess was held last evening when many friends enjoyed a few hours of music and dancing.

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Mrs. T. W. Martindale and her daughter, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Nelson, Yates Street, during the I.O.D.E. convention, will leave on Sunday for their home in Nanaimo.

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Mrs. J. F. Carman (Muriel Langley) with her small daughter, is here from Edmonton to spend a holiday with friends. Many will be interested to hear that Mrs. Carman is at present the guest of Mrs. George, Mackenzie Street.

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Mr. George Murdock of Barkerville, who first arrived at Esquimalt in 1864 has come to town to attend the pioneers' reunion next week. Mr. Murdock has mined in Cariboo for many years. He is a veteran of the Civil War.

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At the home of the officiating minister, 902 Monterey, Avenue, this morning, Rev. Thomas Menzies performed the ceremony which united in marriage George Albert Graham and Annie Moshier, both of Denman Island.

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Miss Constance R. Boulton who is well known in Victoria as a member of the national executive of the I.O. D.E. is now in London as special emigration representative for Ontario. She was the guest of honor at a reception given by Lady Brittain in London recently when Lady Northcote and Sir Edgar Walton were among the guests.

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Among the passengers on the new motorship Pacific Shipper, which arrived in Vancouver yesterday on her maiden trip from England, were Lieut.-Col. R. S. Chaplin, formerly of the Tenth Hussars with Mrs. Chaplin and their son, J. R. Chaplin, also a former officer in the Hussars. Mrs. Chaplin is a daughter of Mrs. James Dunsmuir and the party will make an extended visit at Hatley Park.

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A very enjoyable whist drive was given on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Hodnet at her residence on Comerford Street, Esquimalt, the proceeds of which will augment the funds of the Scottish Daughters' League. Ten tables of players took part. The prizewinners, were: Ladies, first, Mrs. Rogers; second, Mrs. Dalloway; consolation, Mrs. Locke. Gentlemen, first, Mr. W. Stewart; second, Mrs. C. Fea; consolation, Mr. J. Johnstone. Dainty refreshments were served before the guests dispersed.

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Mrs. Curtis Sampson entertained the visiting officers and delegates of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., at a reception at her home, "Molton Combe," Newport Avenue, last evening, the affair forming a delightful close to the business sessions. Bridge and mah jong was in progress, and supper was served buffet fashion from a table covered with bowls of blue scillas and white arbutus and lighted by pink candles in silver sconces. A number of the delegates from the mainland left for their homes on last night's boat.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Butt of Royal Oak celebrated their golden wedding on Monday, April 28, receiving many congratulations upon the attainment of their anniversary. They were married at Rolleston, Leicester, England, in 1874 and the two bridesmaids and the brother of the bride, who gave her away, still survive. At the dinner which was in the nature of a family reunion, their six children were present including Mrs. D. S. Clarke of Vancouver, Mrs. Riley of Cedar Hill, Mrs. J. Peet of Royal Oak, and Marian, Richard and Kathleen at home. A place of honor was given at the table to the wedding cake, which was the gift of a niece and nephew in England, while a poem specially composed for the occasion by friends in California was read by Mrs. Clarke.

A most delightful afternoon bridge party was given yesterday by Mrs. R. J. Robertson at her home on Linden Avenue. Throughout the home there was a profusion of carnations, blue hyacinths and tulips, while a most artistic centre piece of lilac and American Beauty tulips adorned the tea table. At the tea hour Mrs. Robertson was assisted by Miss Flo Paterson and Miss Edna McNaughton. Among those present were Mrs. Walter Scott, Mrs. J. D. McLean, Mrs. W. M. Lawrence, Mrs. Frank Paterson, Mrs. Angus McKeown, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. J. E. Umbach, Mrs. Douglas Graham, Mrs. P. C. Elliott, Mrs. R. L. Miller, Mrs. D. O. Cameron, Mrs. H. Leroy Burgess, Mrs. Mark Graham, Mrs. Herbert Pendray, Mrs. E. A. Dixon, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Mrs. B. C. Richards, Mrs. Cowan of Winnipeg, Mrs. F. M. Bryant, Miss Richards, Miss Flo Paterson and Miss Edna McNaughton.

SAYWARD

Mr. Bendickson returned from Vancouver on Saturday's boat, where he has been visiting his wife, who is in hospital there.

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Mr. H. A. MacDonald has been appointed to the position of road foreman for the district. At the present time he has a gang of men working on the construction of the new road into the Agricultural Grounds.

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Miss Tappleton, of Rock Bay, is visiting in the valley as the guest of Mrs. Jack Lyons.

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Mr. Macphatter has returned to the district to assume the duties as District Fire Ranger. Mr. Macphatter filled this position in the district last year.

COWICHAN LAKE

Mrs. Y. Bailey, of Tyee Siding, was up this week to visit her sister, Mrs. E. S. Lomas.

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Mrs. Geo. Bishop and Mrs. D. Stewart are in Victoria, paying a farewell visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burney, who are leaving for England early in May. Mrs. Burney is the younger daughter of Mrs. Bishop and a sister of Mrs. Stewart. Both Mr. and Mrs. Burney have many friends at the lake, all of whom wish them a successful voyage.

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Mr. Harry Beech, who was in Duncan Hospital with a crushed foot, has now returned to the lake.

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Mr. Angus Ryder was the victim of an accident at the Channel Logging Company's camp, his right arm being badly dislocated. He is in the Duncan Hospital under the care of Dr. E. L. Garner, of Lake Cowichan.

PAGEANT A SUCCESS

"Maiden Months," Written by Donald Fraser, Effectively Presented by Pas-a-Pas Class

The pageant "Maiden Months," written by D. A. Fraser, was given at the First Presbyterian Lecture Hall on Tuesday evening, and was very entertaining. On account of illness Mr. Fraser, who was to have taken the part of poet, was unable to be present, and R. Hardy at a moment's notice ably filled the gap. The young performers were all from The Pas-a-pas Class, Mrs. D. McKillop being their instructor. The various items and performers follow in order: Mr. Hardy, poet; calliope, "Spirit of Poetry, Jean Menzies; "Dream," Doris Morley; "Fancy," Kathleen Stewart; "January," Pauline Yuler; vocal solo, J. G. Brown; "February," Christine Wilson; "Spring Song," Miss Mathews; "March," Miss McCallum; "Dance of the Winds," the little Misses Adeline Grant, Hazel Sargison, Muriel Anderson and Patsy Stipe; solo, Miss Gillespie; "April," Ruth McInnis; piano solo, Jack Smith; May solo, "Voices of the Woods," Etta Hood; June, "Dance of the Roses," Ethel Brown; "July," Edith Hood; duet, Etta and Edith Hood; "August," Alexa Martin; "September," Sadie Strange; solos, Mr. Bob Morrison; October solo, "Te Wind and the Leaves," Carol Menzies; "November," May Warnock, "The Frost Fairies Dance"; "December," Winnie Ferriman; "The Year," Christine McKinnon.

Citizenship of Women in U.S. to Be Considered

London, May 2.—Difficulties arising from the United States law providing that women retain their own nationalities on marriage, thereby clashing with the laws of most other countries under which women assume the nationality of their husbands, were called to the attention of the Commons yesterday and the Home Secretary, Arthur Henderson, said that he was prepared to make overtures to the United States to have the difficulty removed.

Under the existing conditions a foreign woman marrying a citizen of the United States becomes a woman without a country. This makes it impossible for English girls who have married Americans and have gone to the United States to secure passports for visits to their former homes in Great Britain.

CHAPTER DANCE TO-NIGHT

The Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold another of their popular dances at St. Mary's Hall this evening. A competent committee has the arrangements in hand, and this dance promises to be a great success.

The dance of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., scheduled for Friday, May 9, at the gymnasium of St. Michael's School has been postponed until September owing to the death of Mrs. Harrap, who was one of its oldest and faithful workers.

UPLANDS GOLF NOTE

Owing to the fact that the club championship will be in progress at the time, visitors to the Uplands Golf Club on Sunday are requested not to tee off until after 11 o'clock.

EXCELLENT WORK OF I.O.D.E. SHOWN IN FINE REPORTS

$43,000 Raised in B.C. For War Memorial Bursaries And Scholarships

Mrs. A. U. de Pencier was presented with a handsome beaded bag and suede pocketbook by the members of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E. on her retirement from the office of president at the final session yesterday afternoon. The presentation was made by Mrs. Curtis Sampson with a graceful little address and included a lovely bouquet of mauve sweet peas and pink roses.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Following the election of Mrs. A. F. Griffiths to the presidency, other officers elected were as follows: Mrs. Curtis Sampson, first vice-president; Miss Wright, second vice-president; Mrs. Edgar Lee, third vice-president; Mrs. Farkin, of Prince Rupert, fourth vice-president; Mrs. David Miller, secretary; Mrs. H. G. Garrett, treasurer; Miss A. B. Cooke, educational secretary; Mrs. C. G. Pennock, "Echoes" secretary; Mrs. A. U. de Pencier, organizing secretary; and Miss Dobeson, of Nanaimo, standard-bearer.

National councillors for 1924 were elected as follows: Mrs. Ashwell, Chilliwack; Mrs. F. J. Bayfield, Vancouver; Mrs. A. E. Beck, Mrs. O. L. Boynton, Mrs. R. J. Sprott and Miss Millicent Wright, Vancouver; Mrs. Victor Haslam, Harrison Hot Springs; Mrs. M. Raley, Sardis; Mrs. R. W. Wood, Fernie. The five additional provincial councillors were chosen as follows: Mrs. Martin, Burnaby; Mrs. A. E. Beck, Vancouver; Mrs. Fisher, Fernie; Mrs. Bingay, Trail; and Mrs. A. N. Mouat, Victoria.

WAR MEMORIAL

Mrs. O. L. Boynton presented her report as provincial representative on the War Memorial committee. She stated that the province of British Columbia had the largest number of students in the Dominion receiving bursaries. Frederick Brand, the Victoria boy who was the first in Canada to receive bursary, is now in his fourth year at the University of B.C. and the excellence of his work has fully justified his selection.

SCHOLARSHIP INCREASE

The Provincial bursaries will be increased from the present sum of $1,000 to $1,200, tenable for four years. The Overseas Scholarship, which amounts to $1,400 for a year, is now under discussion, and suggestions received from Oxford professors by the War Memorial Committee in Canada are to the effect that it will benefit the student to a greater degree to give one Overseas Scholarship every two years, in place of the annual bursary, and allow the student two years at British Universities, as students must take a two-year course to receive university recognition. Consequently one of the clauses of the War Memorial may be changed.

To date the chapters in B. C. have raised approximately $43,000 for this fund and the sum of $7,000 is needed to complete it. A suggestion has been made that a concerted effort be made throughout B. C. to raise the balance of $7,000 during the week preceding May 24. Miss A. B. Cooke, paid graceful tribute to the magnificent work accomplished by Mrs. Boyston, to whose untiring efforts the success of the war memorial screme in this province is due.

PLEA FOR GUIDERS

Among other reports given during the afternoon was that of the Navy League, presented by Mrs. A. McCreery; Girl Guides presented by Miss Mara, provincial secretary of the Girl Guides in the absence of Mrs. Lake, and immigration by Mrs. R. C. Boyle. Miss Mara appealed to the members of the order to support the Girl Guide movement and to lend assistance in securing leaders. She announced the coming to this province of Miss Joyce Wolton, Red Diploma Guider from England who will conduct a series of training classes for guiders during her visit.

RESOLUTIONS

Considerable discussion was evoked at the close of the report on immigration by a recommendation that this big problem to be omitted from the work of the order and left to those organization, such as the Y. M.C.A. Travelers Aid which is already doing good work along these lines and which is being assisted by the chapters. The recommendation will be forwarded to the National Chapter. Other resolutions included one asking that the inscription: "Queen Victoria, 1835-1901" be placed on the statue before the Parliament Buildings.

Mrs. de Pencier reported for the League of Nations, Mrs. David Miller for "Echoes," and Mrs. R. J. Sprott as organizing secretary.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY BUSY

The monthly meeting of the W. A. to Jubilee Hospital was held in the Nurses' Home Wednesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. Rhodes, in the chair. As the board of directors is calling in the money from the different societies promised for the furnishing of the various rooms the Auxiliary arranged to turn over their amount, including the $853 collected from the tag day. The Auxiliary voted to take a page in the year book of the Jubilee Hospital training school book, which will be the initial number. It was decided to hold the linen shower in the early Fall and call it "The Thanksgiving Shower." The membership convener reported having received dues from Mrs. Raymur and Mrs. Boldero, a new member. The date for collecting dues at Spencer's store was changed from May to June 2. The nurses' graduation will take place in June, when the Auxiliary will present the eighteen young ladies with graduation bouquets.

An order had been given the Red Cross workers for themometer cases amounting to $14.

Women's Canadian Club — The meeting of the Women's Canadian Club, arranged for Tuesday next, has been cancelled owing to disappointment in the speaker at the last moment.



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Washington, May 2 (Canadian Press) — The school textbooks of Canada require "disarmament," Miss Agnes McPhail, member of the Canadian Parliament, told the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom in an address here last night. She spoke on Canada's problems in relation to world peace.

History and literature as taught to Canadian youth teemed with war sentiment and idealized the warrior, she said. She denounced cadet training in the schools and put in a word for free trade by maintaining that the great boundary between Canada and the United States, while unguarded by a single soldier, contained a source of international irritation in the army of Customs officers.

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My aids to beauty, and to woman youth

By Edna Wallace Hopper

I had a rich, ambitious mother. She searched the world with me to find the supreme beauty helps.

They made me a famous beauty. And now, after 40 years in the limelight, they keep me a beauty still.

Other girls, in these same ways, can multiply their beauty. Other women can, to old age, keep their youthful bloom. I want to help them do so. The very helps that France gave me are now at your command.

I am very—very busy on the stage. But I am taking time to tell you the secrets of my beauty and my youth. And I hope the time will come when girls and women by the millions will enjoy what I enjoy.

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I found 32 things that women need to keep them at their best. French experts combined them in four applications. Thus beauty and perennial youth were made very easy for me.

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It firms the skin, combats all lines and wrinkles, keeps the face skin ever like a girl's.

One application of my White Youth Clay brings almost unbelieveable results. Many women seem to drop ten years. Continued use does marvels, as it did for me. No girl or woman who once tries this clay will ever go without it.

Two Matchless Creams

My Youth Cream is a cold cream, based on lemon and strawberry. It is made to embody all the best that science knows to whiten, feed, protect and smooth the skin. I use it after the clay. It is also my night cream, to apply on retiring. Daytimes I use it as a powder base. No one ever found a cold cream to compare with my Youth Cream.

My Facial Youth is a liquid cleanser. It contains no animal, no vegetable fat. It cannot assimilate in any way with the skin. But it penetrates the skin to the depths. When I wipe it off, all that clogs the skin comes with it. No other method cleans a skin like this.

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My hair is thick and lustrous. It grows finer every year. I have never had falling hair or dandruff, never a touch of grey.

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Men's Dress Boots, with rubber heels; per pair $3.95

PHARAOH SANDALS — Blue, grey and patent; per pair $2.85

Child's Sandals, per pair 99c

Children's Non-Rip Sandals $1.35

Ladies' Felts, per pair 95c

Ladies' Pumps, per pair 99c

Two-Tone Shoes per pair $2.95

Canvas Shoes, per pair 65c

FIVE MILL INCREASE IN TAX RATE FEARED

Council Names Special Committee to Revise Estimates

Quarter of a Million Additional in Fixed Charges

Unless the city cuts down its estimates it will be necessary to raise the tax levy in Victoria from 39.72 mills on the dollar to 44.67 mills.

To avoid such a contingency, on Mayor Hayward's suggestion, it was decided to appoint a special committee to revise the estimates and to cut at least $40,000 off the figures before the council, for reasons explained by Alderman Sargent, chairman of the Finance Committee, to the city council in estimates committee yesterday.

EXPLAINS SITUATION

Alderman Sargent said he felt that the aldermen should hear something about the effect of the first consideration of the estimates, during the past three months. In 1923 the taxes were as high as the citizens could stand, he remarked.

Alderman Todd—Higher.

Alderman Sargent—"Too high for the citizen's comfort." The chairman of the finance committee proceeded to state figures of the taxable assessment, and the levy required to meet the requirements of the current year. The total taxable assessment was $39,683,000, as against $44,548,000 in 1923, nearly five million dollars less. He next alluded to the additional debt capital charges of $133,610, as compared with 1923, of over $45,300 local improvement charges transferred by the local improvement commission, loss of revenue from reverted lands $64,166, not available this year, making a total of $243,105.70 of capital charges that the city was committed to in 1924, additional to 1923.

Reduced assessment and increased capital charges gave force to his statement of the Herculean problem of keeping the taxes the same as in 1923.

The amount required this year, less sundry sources of revenue, would be $1,748,721.43, which represented $36,145.12 more than the land tax on the 1923 basis would render available, as compared with last year, the alderman showed.

"If we are to keep our taxes so that the man with a $5,000 home will not have to pay more taxes than in 1923, it will be necessary to cut from $45,000 to $50,000 off the estimates," added Alderman Sargent.

It was explained that these figures were based on the assessed value of land plus one-third of the value of improvements, which was the present basis of taxation in the city.

In arriving at the $45,000 to $50,000 Alderman Sargent indicated that he had allowed eighteen per cent loss on taxes not paid within the period, and a provision to meet certain votes which had cropped up recently, like provision for the indigent patients at St. Joseph's hospital.

The mill rate to take care of the increase, plus the same figures would be 44.67 mills. In resuming his seat Alderman Sargent quoted a bank manager as speaking highly of City Comptroller Macdonald, and the accuracy of his figures.

Mr. Macdonald quoted some figures to show how the votes had been altered in the past year, making some increases.

THE DEBT INCUBUS

Alderman Marchant pointed out that the great increase was due to the debt charges, a slight increase in the school rate, and a decline on the general rate. The figures were 5.58 mills on the general debt increase, 0.67 mills increase on schools and a cut of 1.30 on the general levy. The debt of the city was the great incubus of the city, he asserted, and presented the pivot of their policy.

The rate for debt in Ottawa was four and a half mills, while in Victoria it was twelve mills three years ago, now in Victoria it was nearly twenty mills, said Alderman Sargent.

NEED OF ECONOMY

During the progress of the estimates, stated the Mayor, he had not said much during the discussion. He had hoped to see the retention of the mill rate at the same figure, but as appeared before them on the present basis, there was an increase of 39.72 to 44.67 mills on the figures of 1923. The public looked to the council still further to reduce the estimates. They realized from the early part of the year that "people have been looking forward to a reduction, and expect it." The council must meet that condition.

He went on to observe—"As you sow, so shall we reap. A dozen years ago we sowed, the council members of the past three years are reaping the harvest of debt." Even the same mill rate would entail some increase, owing to the decline in assessment, he pointed out.

SUGGESTS COMMITTEE

He doubted that a cut in the way of every item would be beneficial and he therefore recommended a committee to go over the estimates to consider the question and take up a "very serious matter."

Alderman Sangster—"What about a percentage cut?"

"Perhaps it would not work out very satisfactorily in the result," replied the Mayor. A small committee would save debate.

Alderman Andros said the committee would have to be courageous. He did not envy the picking of the personnel.

Alderman Woodward declared that the maintenance of a reasonably efficient service was perhaps more courageous in difficult times.

PRUNING DIFFICULT

The Mayor responded that the whole of the city departments would have to stand the cut. For his part he believed it might be possible to lop off up to the sum required to balance the situation.

Alderman Andros asked that the council should back him up and then the firemen would be told that the advance in salary could not be granted.

Alderman Woodward declared that the council could effect a large saving by one item alone. In this connection he drew attention to the interest on the annual loan by-law of $47,500 per year. Why should they not offer special prizes through the Publicity Bureau for the payment quarterly of the taxes and then at the end of the year hold a drawing in which the taxpayers who had paid in advance should alone participate?

None of the aldermen took the suggestion seriously and it did not get further. Alderman Woodward formally then moved adoption of the Mayor's recommendation.

Alderman Marchant seconded the motion for a committee of three. He believed some curtailment of salaries might be effected.

The motion was adopted unanimously.

Aldermen Sargent, Ker and Sangster were nominated by the Mayor, and accepted office.

UNCONTROLLABLE EXPENDITURE

The increase in uncontrollable expenditures this year aggregate $243,105, and is made up as follows:

On the refunding loan made last July, $77,000 in interest and a serial payment of $40,000 will have to be made.

On the refunding loan made in January, $12,000 will have to be paid out as the interest for a half-year.

On the third Johnson Street Bridge by-law interest and sinking fund charges to the amount of $6,280 will have to be met.

On the Johnson Street Extension by-law the interest and sinking fund charges to be met this year for the first time aggregate $7,805.

Against these figures is offset an amount of $8,475 levied for last year as interest and sinking fund charges in connection with the Stadacona Park debentures, which have now matured.

TAX RATE

As the figures stand, the segregated mill rate this year as compared with 1923 would be according to the comptroller's figures:

	1923	1924
Debt	14.96	20.54
Schools	9.87	10.54
General	14.89	13.59
	39.72	44.67

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ADVANCE PLAN FOR WAR MEMORIAL

Citizens' Committee Sets the Machinery in Motion For Scheme

Stone Cenotaph Receives Strong Support at Session

That a memorial should be erected to the war heroes from Victoria was the unanimous approval of a citizens' gathering, held at the City Hall last evening.

The meeting then resolved to select a committee to investigate the best form of memorial, and report later to a public gathering.

It is hoped to have the memorial ready for next Armistice Day services.

Lindley Crease K.C. was chosen president of the committee, and the meeting selected H. T. Ravenhill as the vice-president.

Miss Lottie Bowron, was elected as permanent secretary.

The personnel of the committee chosen was: Mesdames Palmer and Crocker, Miss Crease, Lt.-Col. F. A. Robertson, Captain H. W. R. Moore, Beaumont Boggs, A. E. Harrison, Lester Patrick and Thomas Walker.

Brig.-General R. P. Clark, Capt. H. W. R. Moore, and Alderman R. H. B. Ker declined nomination, on the ground that civilians should hold office in a body of this character, to the appointment as vice-president.

GENESIS OF EFFORT

Mrs. Thomas Palmer called the meeting to order. Explaining the object of the gathering it was stated by the chairman that the Victoria Women's Institute had taken the initiative in the matter.

It was suggested that a war memorial or cenotaph should be chosen to be placed in Parliament Square or some other suitable place, she said. It was recommended that the public should make the choice of the character, and location of the memorial.

Home collections, lists at the newspaper offices, schools, and similar efforts were suggested as means of securing funds. The institute objected to a tag day, because it was not a charity, but a matter of duty. She did not anticipate any difficulty, about raising the necessary funds.

She described it as a disgrace that no memorial existed yet in Victoria. They had no intention of letting the matter drop, as had occurred after the South African War, a sentiment which was applauded.

MR. CREASE

A suitable memorial was urged by Mr. Crease to the war heroes, so that Victoria could take its place with every community in the British Empire. In a pleasing little speech Mr. Crease said he believed the Institute honored themselves, and retrieved the reputation of the city in starting the movement. He pointed out no steps had yet been taken to perpetuate the memory of their heroes. He drew a picture of the wraith of a Victoria hero seeking in vain in the squares and parks of his home city for a memorial of the men who they had cheered to the wharves years ago. Had nothing been done to perpetuate their memory? Something full of beauty worthy of the memory of the men, of suitable size, proportions and character, should be erected as a reminder to the citizens, and the strangers within their gates.

MRS. FLEMING

Mrs. Harold Fleming, chairman of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, pointed out that everywhere memorials were erected throughout the Empire.

Such memorials were not for the generation of to-day who knew of the war, but for those of the future, to remind them of a splendid memory.

This sentiment was warmly applauded.

DIVERGENT VIEWS

Reeve Robert Macnicol spoke as secretary of the Armistice Day committee, and said the committee had unanimously agreed after careful consideration in favor of a stone cenotaph in a prominent position.

Brig.-General Clark declared there would be no clash with the Memorial Avenue scheme. He spoke as chairman of the memorial avenue committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Capt. H. W. R. Moore favored a committee, and to have a scheme formulated, with a report on the anticipated cost, which could be presented later. He believed a large body of friendly opinion could be secured in the city, which at the present time only wanted organization to make it effective.

Reeve Macnicol pointed out that Saanich had a war memorial health centre, and Esquimalt had a memorial park project, and it would be wiser to have the scheme limited officially to the city, a course which was adopted.

Capt. Hugh Allen, who spoke on behalf of the Kiwanis Club, said some people felt that the better scheme would be to endow wards for widows in the Jubilee and St. Joseph's hospitals.

Mrs. Fleming stated that in the Jubilee Hospital there was a memorial ward for soldiers and their families, as long as such patients existed.

Capt. H. Despard Twigg recommended that the resolution should not pledge itself to the character of the memorial, and this suggestion was incorporated in the motion.

Beaumont Boggs reminded the meeting of the conditions which occurred after the South African war. Whatever was done in the aid of hospitals, surely the city should have a stone memorial of some kind!

Lieut.-Col. F. A. Robertson could see no reason why if they had a ward in the hospital, there should not be a centeaph. Let them have some stone memorial, he argued.

E. C. B. Bagshawe favored a monument which everyone could see daily. It would become a centre of Armistice Day remembrances.

A tower, as a memorial, was next suggested, with a peal of bells. A location for such a monument was mentioned at Beacon Hill Park by Mr. Hopkins.

P. C. Rawling said the discussion had indicated the character of the city's opinion on a subject of that nature. He did not think the meeting sufficiently representative, nor authoritative enough to give a decision on the matter. He agreed with the views of Col. Robertson that some tangible monument was needed. Mr. Rawling deprecated the suggestion that it was the duty to provide for the widows of war heroes in a movement of that nature.

He advocated a memorial be erected which in its character should strike the imagination of the people, and declared there was a deep human significance in monuments of a permanent character.

A committee was then struck, and a preliminary meeting held, at which Commander Beard and Joshua Hinchliffe, M.P.P., were added to the gathering. Mr. Hinchliffe was the only member of the Legislature attending.

POLICE BOARD CUT ESTIMATES

The sum of $1,500 was cut from estimates by the City Police Board in session yesterday afternoon, with Mayor Hayward in the chair. The Mayor explained efforts made by the council and other repartments to cut down expenditures. Though the police estimates had been twice reviewed the board sliced its programme and lopped another $1,500 from the total which now stands at $106,308.

To effect this the board cut $1,000 from the secret service appropriation reducing it to $2,000. The sum of $200 was cut away from a provision for the upkeep of prisoners at Oakalla and elsewhere. Printing and repair funds for motor cycles and motor patrols each gave $100, adding a further $300 to the sum saved. With estimates standing at close on $3,000 less than in 1923 the police will try to weather the year.

OFFICERS SUSPENDED

Following a confidential report on Miss M. J. Wark, policewoman, commissioners suspended that officer who will be called before a special meeting of the board on Thursday or Friday next. Insubordination was the complaint registered against Miss Wark, who had been previously warned by the board under similar circumstances it was stated. Two commissioners were for her instant dismissal, the third counselled further investigation before that action was ratified. Meanwhile the board ordered the suspension of the policewoman until further notice.

Similar action was taken with Thomas Palmer, motorcycle constable charged with insubordination.

Ex-Constable George Ritch applied for reinstatement. Mr. Ritch left for overseas in 1915 and produced a letter from ex-Chief Langley saying that he was to be given back his employment upon his return from the war. The board, while expressing sympathy with the applicant, pointed out the war had been concluded for some time now and that at the moment there were no vacancies on the force nor money to provide for an extra constable. He will be given every consideration upon a vacancy occurring.

The police report for the month of March showed a light court period. Fines totalling $406 were imposed. Fifty-two convictions were registered in seventy-two cases dealt with; thirteen were discharged, four persons found of unsound mind, and three persons lodged for safe keeping. The patrol wagon made 119 runs, giving first aid in twenty out of twenty-seven accident calls. The streets by-law again provided the greatest individual number of complaints, sixty-eight persons coming to grips with the authorities over minor infractions.



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FIJI CHIEFS PASS THROUGH VICTORIA ON WAY TO LONDON

Were Passengers Aboard the Makura En Route to Empire Exhibition

Among the passengers aboard the Makura, which docked this morning from the Antipodes, were two Fiji chiefs en route to the British Empire Exhibition, representing the Fiji Government.

Benjamin Ratu Veli, is Roko Tui, or governor king, of the province of Macuata, which has a native population of 2,000. This is not his first visit to England, he having paid a visit to the Old Country twenty-two years ago. On this occasion he was presented with King Edward's special coronation ribbon. He represented the Fiji Government on the occasion of the coronation of King Edward.

Joni Antonio Rabici, a native member of the Fiji Legislature, is prominent among his people as the son of the "King of the Reefs." Joni Rabici is Roko Tui of the province of Cakadrove, which has a native population of 3,000. He won his seat in the legislature out of a nomination of six native chiefs.

During the Prince of Wales's world cruise aboard H.M.S. Renown, Joni Rabici was presented with the Order of the British Empire for his work during the war. It was through his efforts that the sum of $100,000 was raised for the Red Cross.

R. C. Higginson, of the Fiji Civil Service Department, who is also en route to the British Empire Exhibition, accompanied the two chiefs.

SEAMEN APPRECIATE HOME IN VICTORIA

Thanks Ladies' Guild For Hospitality Towards Sailors in This City

The mail bag of the Victoria Seamen's Institute proves beyond doubt that institution's popularity with the seafaring men who make that place a home while in port. The Ladies' Guild for Sailors is holding a tag day to-morrow in order to keep the Institute on a solid foundation.

J. J. Watts, A.B., of the steamship Defender, Harrison Line, at present in San Francisco, writes: "I am taking the pleasure of writing on behalf of the men of the Defender to thank you for the enjoyable time they spent at the Institute. They also wish to thank the Ladies' Guild for providing such a nice place where sailormen are made at home. Believe me, the boys were sorry to leave Victoria, and some of them even asked the fare to Victoria, saying they would rather be at the Institute in Victoria than in Vancouver.

It will be with great pleasure that the seamen will visit Victoria at some other time. It is something to look forward to."

W. J. Smith, wireless operator on the steamship Craftsman, writes in the same vein: "We have often talked and expressed a desire to come back, for among the boys who visited you not one has any word but one of warmest respect at the great kindness and paternal expression surrounding the mission."

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The Pacific Cable Board has a business of ten million paying words a year, apart from local traffic between Australia and New Zealand, and the Pacific Islands.

The magnitude of this business is shown in the annual report for the last completed year, and indicate an increase of 1,300,000 words in excess of the previous twelve months.

INCREASE OF TRAFFIC

The ordinary, or full rate, international traffic showed an increase of approximately 100,000 words; the deferred ordinary approximately 275,000 words; and the week-end telegrams an increase of approximately 1,255,000 words. On the other hand there was a decrease of approximately 200,000 words of Government traffic and of approximately 137,000 words of Press traffic. Week-end telegrams represented no less than thirty-five per cent of the total international traffic for the year. This traffic, it appears, increases in popularity, and, unfortunately, owing to its volume and to the limitation of capacity for its transmission, there are occasions when messages of this class are delayed several days in transmission.

In addition to the international traffic, approximately 2,000,000 paying words were carried between Australia and New Zealand and between these Dominions and the Pacific Islands.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

The revenue account is set out as follows:

Receipts—Traffic receipts, £509,298 1s 6d; refund of tolls and dues, £2,817 13s 4d; charter of Iris net, £16,189 8 2d; miscellaneous, £927 9s 5d; total, £529,227 12s 5d.

Expenditure—Head office (salaries, expenses and engineers' fees), £11,599 19s 9d; cable stations, salaries and expenses, £205,026 4s 8d; ships (salaries and expenses), £20,657 5s 3d; provident fund, £4,508 8s 6d; pension fund, £1,127 2s 2d; reserve and renewal fund, £199,603 9s 1d; balance, £86,695 3s; total, £529,227 12s 5d.

BANFIELD TO FANNING ISLAND

The board considered it expedient to insert a new shore end at Banfield, in the Banfield-Fanning Island cable. The cable had been down for twenty-one years, and experience at Fanning Island with new shore ends containing more than one core proved taht superior results could be obtained by multiple cored cable. Arrangements were made for the proposed new shore end to be composed of specially designed tri-core cable, fifteen miles in length. The short experience with the new shore end indicated that the anticipations regarding the elimination of electrical disturbances caused by the proximity of other cables and by natural phenomena had been more than realized. The assent of each of the partner Governments having been obtained to the projected duplication of the system south of Fiji, contracts were placed for the manufacture and laying of a direct cable between Auckland and Suva, and between Sydney and Southport (Queensland). The laying of the Sydney-Sopthport cable was completed on July 11, 1923, and the Auckland-Suva cable on August 12, 1923. There had been unforeseen delay in delivery of the land cables, however, and it had not been possible to utilize the new cables for traffic. When the new cables were available the facilities for the distribution of traffic would be so flexible that the interruption of any of the three cables at Norfolk Island would no longer cause any suspension of service or even serious dislocation.

WIRELESS SITUATION

Arrangements were made during the year under review for the dispatch of a small expedition to Vancouver Island and to Fiji to carry out investigations regarding the possibilities in those localities for wireless stations, in case it might be found expedient in the future to instal wireless. There had not been time yet for the completion of the observations and investigations.

For the current financial year it was estimated that the traffic revenue would amount to £450,000, working expenses to £248,500, and renewal fund £39,150, leaving a surplus of £462,350.

SHIP UNABLE TO UNLOAD HAY FOR STARVING CATTLE

Bremerton, Wash., May 2.—Thwarted by immense Arctic ice floes, which were loosened in the North Bering Sea by a Northwestern gale, and blown to the Pribilof Islands, where the great seal preserve is located, the Bureau of Fisheries vessel Elder was unable to take a load of hay from St. George Island to starving cattle on St. Paul Island, a distance of forty miles, according to a wireless dispatch received here to-day from St. Paul Island.

After waiting ten days for favorable weather, the Elder succeeded in reaching the Pribilof Islands, April 28. Landings were made at both St. George and St. Paul Islands in the Pribilof group.

When the Elder reached St. Paul it was discovered that cattle quartered there were starving, owing to an unusually sever Winter. The vessel then returned. Before the ship was ready for the trip to St. Paul Island the wind changed to the northwest, bringing down large Arctic floes.

Seeing it was impossible to land the hay, the Elder retraced her course and returned to Dutch Harbor.

Ships at a Glance

To arrive:
Dictator, United Kingdom, May 2.
Makura, Australia, May 2.
Empress of Australia, Yokohama, May 7.
Toyama Maru, Yokohama, May 7.
To sail:
Makura, Australia, May 7.
President Jackson, Orient, May 8.
Kaga Maru, Orient, May 14.
Empress of Australia, Orient May 15.

TIDE TABLE

May

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
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1 ..	1.02	8.0	8.12	4.0	14.16	6.3	19.26	5.3
2 ..	1.27	8.1	8.41	3.2	15.24	6.5	20.07	5.7
3 ..	1.49	8.2	9.13	2.7	16.31	6.6	20.45	6.1
4 ..	2.08	8.2	9.47	2.2	17.40	6.8	21.20	6.5
5 ..	2.24	8.2	10.23	2.0	19.06	6.9	21.54	6.9
6 ..	2.35	8.1	11.01	1.8	..	..	..	..
7 ..	2.38	8.0	11.41	1.8	..	..	..	..
8 ..	2.57	7.9	12.23	1.9	..	..	..	..
9 ..	3.14	7.8	13.07	2.1	..	..	23.32	7.7
10 ..	2.10	7.5	3.30	7.6	13.52	2.2	23.18	7.6
11 ..	..	..	..	..	14.38	2.7	23.04	7.6
12 ..					15.25	3.1	23.13	7.7
13 ..					16.14	3.6	23.31	7.8
14 ..	6.14	5.2	11.06	6.0	17.05	4.1	23.55	7.9
15 ..	6.48	4.2	12.30	6.1	17.58	4.6	..	..
16 ..	0.24	8.2	7.25	3.2	12.43	6.4	18.50	5.1
17 ..	0.54	8.5	8.04	2.7	14.51	6.8	19.40	5.7
18 ..	1.23	8.7	8.46	1.3	15.58	7.0	20.28	6.1
19 ..	1.52	8.9	9.30	0.6	17.08	7.3	21.18	6.6
20 ..	2.22	9.0	10.16	0.2	18.29	7.5	22.12	7.1
21 ..	2.51	8.8	11.03	0.2	20.08	7.7	23.12	7.4
22 ..	3.18	8.5	11.51	0.5	21.14	8.0	..	..
23 ..	0.21	7.5	3.49	8.1	12.40	1.0	22.02	8.1
24 ..	1.48	7.3	3.56	7.8	13.31	1.7	22.32	8.1
25 ..	..	..	..	..	14.22	2.6	22.50	8.2
26 ..	..	..	..	..	15.14	3.5	23.07	8.2
27 ..	7.13	5.2	10.17	5.4	16.04	4.3	23.21	8.2
28 ..	7.05	4.4	12.24	5.5	16.54	5.1	23.47	8.3
29 ..	7.20	3.7	15.35	5.9	17.45	5.8	..	..
30 ..	0.16	8.8	7.56	3.0	16.30	6.4	18.36	6.4
31 ..	0.38	8.4	8.23	2.4	17.21	6.8	19.26	6.7

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Ruth Alexander is Due Saturday to Enter Drydock

The disabled liner, Ruth Alexander of the Admiral Line, which put into Eureka yesterday morning to tighten a patch on her side, sailed from there this morning for San Francisco, according to word received here to-day. In addition to tightening the patch, the water has been pumped out of lower No. 2 hold and the damaged cargo discharged. The vessel will put into drydock as soon as she arrives at San Francisco, which probably will be Saturday.

CAPT. A. E. BARLOW BROUGHT MAKURA FROM ANTIPODES

Succeeds Captain Crawford Who Will Command the New Liner Aorangi

Over Three Hundred Passengers Arrive From Australasia

"It will be the beginning of next year before the Aorangi comes to this coast," stated Capt. A. E. Barlow, of the Canadian-Australasian liner Makura, which docked from the Antipodes at 8.15 o'clock this morning. After discharging a small quantity of cargo and mail the Makura proceeded to Vancouver at 10 o'clock.

Capt. Barlow succeeds Captain R. Crawford, formerly commander of the Makura.

Capt. Crawford will go to England to take over command of the new motorship which is being constructed for the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand for operation in the Canadian-Australasian service.

The Aorangi, it is now understood, will not be launched until June and she will then have to go through her trials.

A total of 306 passengers arrived on the Makura. Many of them were en route to the Empire Exhibition. One hundred and forty-six traveled first class, 100 second class and sixty third class. Several first class passengers debarked here. Among them were Thomas R. Cusack, who has been spending a vacation at Honolulu, and F. Wither, accompanied by his mother, from Australia. Mr. Wither is a brother-in-law of Alfred Carmichael of this city.

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TROPICAL AREA OF QUEENSLAND IS PROSPEROUS

Monseigneur Bourke, of Townsville, Arrives Here This Morning

Queensland is making steady progress and is able to conduct those experiments in radical legislation which have aroused the interest, and in some cases the criticism of outside countries, said Rev. Monseigneur Bourke of Townsville, North Queensland, who arrived on the liner Makura this morning.

His Reverence was accompanied by the Rev. Fathers J. Kerin and J. Hanrahan. He was delighted to meet at the wharf Rev. Father Murphy, who spent a long period with him in the work of the church in Queensland years ago, and had come to Victoria specially to meet his old colleague.

Monseigneur Bourke stated that men of all parties in Queensland praised the ability of Premier Theodore, who passed through here some months ago to London, England, and who is still conducting financial negotiations for the Queensland Government.

The North, where his work lies, being semi-tropical, with extensive sugar and banana plantations, and with a great future for the cotton industry, the visitor stated that they were very anxious to see a steady development in connection with the tropical portions of Australia, in which lay the future development of the Commonwealth. Naturally, Queenslanders were particularly anxious for reciprocity with Canada, because in the North they had these commodities which Canada was largely receiving from non-British countries, and which were necessary for her food supply and comfort. He hoped that there would be a happy issue out of the reciprocity negotiations between the two countries.

Monseigneur Bourke will go through to Pittsburg, Pa., to visit relatives.

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FIJI SUGAR CROP SHOWS INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR

J. Ragg, of Colonial Refining Company of Lautoka, Arrives on Makura

"Approximately 40,000 tons of raw sugar will be the yield of the Fiji sugar plantations this year," stated J. Ragg, of the Colonial Sugar Refining Company, of Lautoka, Fiji.

Mr. Ragg was a passenger aboard the Makura, which arrived from the Antipodes this morning. He is en route to the British Empire Exhibition, where he will exhibit samples of a new refining process which he has invented, and which will refine sugar direct from the cane.

"The yield of our district alone will be 200,000 tons of sugar cane, or 25,000 tons of raw sugar. This is a big increase over last year's crop, which was a little under the average."

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Due to the large crop and growing conditions, the individual orange is small in size, and it is estimated that more than four billion oranges will be shipped from California.

Oranges all the way from the size of a baseball to the popular golf ball will be in abundance throughout the season, it is stated. Contrary to the popular impression, size is no indication of quality, and the small size oranges will be found just as good as any large orange.

Not only is this true of California oranges alone, but it is reported that the oranges from Florida as well are unusually small this year.

In California "unusual" weather conditions and a plentiful setting of fruit on the trees have made the individual orange smaller in size than usual, so that there will be a greater abundance of the small oranges in the markets of the country than of the larger sizes which are generally displayed most seasons. The large sizes being scarce are therefore more expensive.

"There are only two kinds of weather in California," says Mr. Colgan, of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, "the usual kind and the unusual variety."

He points out that these small oranges this year will furnish the largest total crop of this variety of fruit that has been produced in the history of California, and that they are unusually sweet and juicy.

With large quantities of these small oranges from both California and Florida being shipped to the markets of the United States and Canada, housewives can expect to get more of this fruit for their money than has ever been possible before, it is said.

An address on "The Remnant of Israel—as the Inheritors of the New Covenant—Being the Last Will and Testament of Our Lord Jesus Christ to His People," will be given by E. E. Richards in the Bible Hall, 1019 Cook Street, to-night at 8 o'clock.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Fire broke out in premises at the corner of Government and Cormorant Streets at 2.30 p.m to-day. The damage was confined to minor proportions.

A most successful concert was given by the Tip-Top Quartette at Semple's Hall on Wednesday evening. It is expected that the quartette will give another concert in the near future.

Building permits have been issued to D. C. Nicholls, for altering the store front at 1102 Hillside Avenue; to J. A. Playfair, for a bungalow on Lewis Street; and Mr. Cumming, for a frame dwelling at 1604 Belmont Avenue.

A feature of the Boys' Division banquet at the Y.M.C.A. this evening will be the display of two films, "The Athabasca Trail" and "Pages From the Diary of a Rocky Mountain Ranger," which were taken in Jasper National Park, Canadian National Railways.

Pinned underneath a fall of lumber during loading operations at the Moore and Whittington Mill this morning, Norman McKay, resident at Luxton, broke a leg and sustained other painful injuries. The man was removed to the Jubilee Hospital in Cameron and Calwell's ambulance for attention.

The reverted lands committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon at a meeting advanced proposals to sell a clay-bearing area in the north end of the city, between Douglas and Quadra Streets, for brick making purposes. Industrial development is expected to follow the sale, which will have to be ratified by the City Council when details are completed.

Knocked down on the Gorge Road at 3.50 o'clock this morning and rendered unconscious, Frederick McDonald, an employee of the Navy Yard, was taken to the Jubilee Hospital in a Cameron & Calwell ambulance, where his injuries received attention. Mr. McDonald was badly injured about the head and it was not until his recovery in hospital later that his identity could be learned. Details of the affair are lacking.

The West End Players held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening at Semple's Hall, when about seventy-five members were present. The chief matter under discussion were the purchase of a piano and the report of the recent entertainment given on behalf of the Victoria West Brotherhood park supervision scheme. Four new members were introduced and cordially welcomed by the president, Mr. Colby. A splendid programme was supplied by the following members: A. W. Semple, Miss Nellens, Miss I. Davis, L. Drysdale, G. Sidwell, Miss Colby and Mr. Hardy.

The young people of the First Congregational Church, led by H. Masters, who was chairman, gave an enjoyable evening to the inmates of the Aged Women's Home there on Wednesday evening. At the close of the programme one of the aged ladies moved a hearty vote of thanks to the entertainers who gave the following programme: Piano solo, Miss M. Sayer; vocal numbers by little boys and girls, motion songs; Miss I. Easton, solo; recitations, the Misses J. Smith, G Sayer and K. Hawker; duet, the Misses M. Sayer and T. Ellis; dance, Miss Aletha Curtis; recitation, Ashfield Walker; dialogue, the Misses Hawkes and E. and M. Girling. Refreshments provided by the entertainers were served at the close.

TELLS STORY OF EXPERIMENT ON INTERURBAN LINE

In the current issue of the B.C. Electric Employees' Magazine appears a full description of the plan of operation of the weekly pass system on the Saanich Interurban Line, described by T. R. Myers, publicity representative of the company here, who has been working assiduously for several weeks to make the experiment a success.

Three illustrations are given of the method in which the pass is handled.

ENDORSES ACTION OF HON. E. D. BARROW

At a well-attended meeting of Victoria Assembly No. 1 Native Sons of Canada, held on Thursday night at the society's hall, a resolution was passed endorsing the action of the Minister of Agriculture in prohibiting the bringing of race horses into British Columbia on account of the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in California.

The advisability of holding an All-Canadian celebration on July 1 was discussed, and a committee is to be struck at the next meeting to co-operate with Camosun Assembly No. 25 to this end.

Worthy President C. J. McDowell presided.

Croydon, Eng., May 2.—The strike of the pilots and mechanics employed by hte companies which ahndle the British mails, was settled to-day and the men will resume work Monday. The strike began March 31.



—Photograph by Goodenough

This picture shows the float built from the design of R. Boyd Macgill, under the direct supervision of City Engineer F. M. Preston, for participation in the Bellingham Tulip Festival parade, which commenced at 2 o'clock this afternoon through that city. The figure of Britannia, who bears the Union Jack, was represented by Miss Joyce Wormald, of the City Hall staff, and that of Uncle Sam by Frank Hunter, Assistant City Clerk, who bore the American banner.

The design sought to convey an invitation from Victoria, represented by the Parliament Buildings to Whatcom County and Bellingham, as indicated by the famous Mount Baker, 11,000 feet high, directly east of Bellingham, to come to the May Day function. Much of the actual work was done by W. R. Yule, at Garbally yard, and the artificial tulips were made by Miss Sylvester. The city representatives took over fresh broom, cut this morning, to freshen up the decorations attached on Thursday morning.

Great Treat in Store For Kiddies

A great treat will await the boys and girls who received a sterling candy coupon entitling them to one of this year's crop of luscious bulrushes at the Y.M.C.A. Building on Saturday morning. Two thousand of these coupons have been distributed pro rata to the various city schools by the Y.M.C.A. and preparations have been completed for redeeming them at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning at Y.M.C.A. headquarters, Blanshard Street.

OBITUARY

Funeral service will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the late Mrs. Mary A. Hunt who passed away at the family residence, 1007 Collison Street, on Wednesday morning. Rev. F. H. Fatt will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Mrs. Caroline Harrap, widow of the late Samuel T. Harrap, passed away at her residence, 1032 Balmoral Road, on Wednesday night. She was born in Hull, England, and came to this country thirty-two years ago. The late Mrs. Harrap is survived by three daughters and four sons: Mrs. S. F. Tolmie and Mrs. G. Sisman in Victoria, Mrs. H. W. Harvey in Enderby, E. Harrap in Enderby, Robert Harrap and T. K. Harrap in Victoria, and Ralph Harrap at Prince Rupert. The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held on Monday morning, May 5, at 10.30. Interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death occurred at his late residence, 526 Harbinger Avenue, of Joseph Smith Place, for many years a rancher of Dog Creek, B.C. The late Mr. Place was in his seventieth year and is survived by his widow, three sons and a daughter, and one brother in Blackpool, England. The remains are reposing at the Sands Funeral Chapel and burial announcements will be made later.

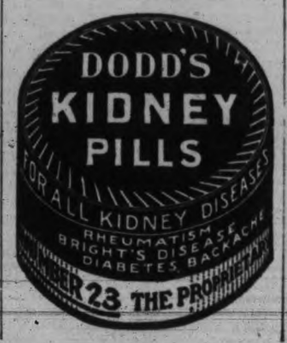
The funeral of the late Lorna Cates drew an unusually large number of sympathizing friends to the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated and the hymns sung were "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." Many beautiful flowers covered the casket and filled the hearse. The Carmen's Association, Division No. 109, turned out in a body. The Orange Lodge No. 1426 held its service at the graveside. Worshipful Master George Gallaway, assisted by Deputy Master J. Morrison and Chaplain J. Watson, conducted the service; also No. 1, I.O.O.F., held service at the open grave, Acting Noble Grand W. J. Wrigleswerth and Acting Chaplain W. J. Gower conducting. The pallbearers, all motormen of the B.C.E. Railway, were Messrs. J. Howcroft, Robert Ritchie, C. Cottell, W. H. Gibson, V. Dempsey and E. Blake. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ellen Gomersall took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was held by the Rev. F. H. Fatt in the presence of many friends. The hymns sung were, "Nearer, My God to Thee" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. A. Chisholm, E. Patterson, T. Golby, S. H. Partridge, B. Badger and F. V. Hoods. The remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PLEASED WITH SUCCESS

Miss Phillips, stenographer in the city solicitor's office, is being congratulated by her fellow employees today at the City Hall, at her success in winning the Tudor Sedan, at the Armories dance last evening, organized by the Trades and Labor Council.

Miss Phillips is being deluged with applications from friends for "just one ride" when she receives her car.



BELLINGHAM IS WATCHING WONDER PARADE TO-DAY

(Continued from page 1).

and we in Victoria have been busy arranging fitting representation in your parade and during your festivities generally. Events of the nature of your tulip festival and our own May 24 celebrations, in which such a large number of citizens on both sides of the line take a great and increasing interest, are the happiest media for bringing the peoples of the Pacific Northwest communities into the closest co-operation in business and social affairs. We have very similar ambitions and standards of life and our friendship is now on so sure a footing and so much a part of our every-day life that it is almost unnecessary to make mention of this fact. I am glad to notice many signs of progress and prosperity in your city and I hope that my public duties will permit me to visit you a little more frequently in the future than I have been able to do during the past year. The programme in connection with your festival is a more ambitious one than I have ever seen before and I trust that the whole list of events will be brought to a happy and successful conclusion.

"I would like, on behalf of the citizens of Victoria, again to invite you to take part in our celebrations on May 24." Last year the City of Bellingham was greatly admired and a worthy prize-winner and we are hoping to see another such 'work of art' from you this year. Like yourselves, we aim to make all our celebration of an international character, and judging from our previous experience and the increased traveling facilities now at our disposal, this is becoming easier to accomplish each year. We hope to welcome hundreds of your citizens on May 24 and in some measure return the hospitality extended to us here to-day.

"I might also mention that at the end of June, Victoria is being visited by a special service squadron of the British Navy, which includes two of the largest battle cruisers afloat. In connection with this visit there will be excursions from all parts of the Pacific Northwest and Western Canada and we shall look for many of our neighbors from Bellingham on this occasion also."

EXCURSION PARTY

The Princess Louise, with an excursion party left for Bellingham at 9 o'clock, the band of the Canadian Scottish Battalion playing selections. The Motor Princess from Sidney took over a large party on the automobile ferry for the parade, in which Victoria had the leading section.

The Princess Louise had 1,000 passengers on board, and when they arrived at the wharf at Bellingham, the landing arrangements did not prove satisfactory and considerable delay in going uptown was occasioned.

EVENTS TO COME

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Photographic Society will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on Monday, May 5 at 8 p.m. The principal speaker for the evening will be F. Dundas Todd. Subject for exhibit, Artificial Light Study.

All day Saturday the sale of handwork, from the girls' schools, of different denominations, of India, China and Japan, will again be held at 709 Fort Street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Women's Institute will be held at the Parish Hall, Esquimalt, on Tuesday, May 6 at 7.30 p.m. All members are requested to attend as there is very important business to be discussed.

The regular meeting of the Canadian Daughters League will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Sons of Canada headquarters.

To raise funds for the furnishing of a room at the Alert Bay hospital, St. John's Girls' Auxiliary will present the Biblical drama entitled "The Queen of Sheba" at the Church schoolroom, on Tuesday, May 6, at 8.15. Fifteen girls will take part in the drama.

CITY HALL GOSSIP

The following firms have petitioned the City Council against closing the Victoria West Fire Hall, their petition being presented to the City Council yesterday: Lemon, Gonnason Company, McCarter Shingle Company, Marine Iron Works, Ormond's Limited, Fairall's Limited, Hiker Manufacturing Company, Silver Spring Brewery, Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, Canadian National Railways, Sidney Roofing Company, Victoria Machinery Depot, Consolidated Whaling Company, Leigh's Mills, Moore and Whittington, Sash and Door Factory, (Bridge Street), Dalziel Box Factory, Hutchison Brothers, Wet Wash Laundry, and Pacific Sheet Metal Works.

The city's financial statement for 1923 will be issued shortly, and as already indicated will show a greatly improved financial condition on twelve months ago.

EXPECTS NEWS OF C.N.R. PLANS HERE WITHIN FEW WEEKS

Publicity Commissioner Saw President During Trip East

Tells of Industrial Sites Available in Victoria

Within the next five or six weeks Victoria should hear definite information on prospective C.N.R. developments on Vancouver Island stated George I. Warren, Publicity Commissioner, who returned yesterday afternoon from a tour East as far as New York. Mr. Warren interviewed Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways in Winnipeg and endeavored to secure from him a definite answer on the constructive programme of the National Railways on the Island, but pending a meeting of the directors the president was unable to convey information that will permit of a definite statement on a grain elevator at the Ogden Point Docks, the lumber assembly plant or other construction work. As a result of his conference, however, Mr. Warren takes a hopeful view and within the next six weeks looks for encouraging information from the Canadian National Railway.

INDUSTRIES

During his visit East Mr. Warren laid special stress on industrial sites available on Vancouver Island and interviewed heads of big industrial plants who might contemplate the establishment of branch factories, capitalists and others who might be considering building plants on the Coast and during many meetings and interviews advertised Victoria both as a tourist resort and an ideal place for the establishing of industrial plants. During his tour he visited Ottawa, Montreal, Toronto, New York, Boston, Chicago and Newark, N.J.

At Ottawa he attended the meeting of the economics council of the Boards of Trade of Canada, and was on the delegation that waited upon the whole Government, and also met the leader of the Opposition and the leader of the Progressive party. In Toronto he was the guest of the executive of the Publicity Bureau at a meeting of that body. The bureau had extended very great assistance to him in connection with the work, and had given him the advantage of any information that was theirs.

WELL ADVERTISED

Mr. Warren found Victoria well advertised and well known and his investigations led him to look for a big influx of tourists to Victoria this Summer. The East and the Middle West, the Prairie Provinces and Oregon and Washington will all help to build up this business this year he believes and if there should be less numbers from California the increasing numbers assured from other sections should still make this year a bigger tourist year last year, he believed.

The New York Times, The Toronto Globe and The Chicago Tribune have agreed to use publicity matter and pictures from the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. Schools in New York, Newark, Chicago will also show films of Victoria and Island and it is estimated that 20,000 teachers and 900,000 pupils will in this manner learn about Victoria.

McRAE TO OPEN CAMPAIGN HERE

Labor Will Defer Action Until Meeting of May 14

The Provincial Party will open its campaign in the city to-night with a meeting in the Alexandra Club. General A. D. McRae, head of the party, and Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, one of its leaders, will be the chief speakers. It is expected that Alderman A. E. Todd, a prominent member of the party's local branch, will preside.

LABOR ATTITUDE

Now that the preliminary meeting in Vancouver to establish the B. C. section of the Canadian Labor Party has been held, attention is directed to the proposed meeting here on May 14. In Vancouver the organization found itself faced with three bodies, the Federated Labor Party, to which the labor candidates so far chosen for the legislature belong, the Workers Party of Canada, and the Socialist Party. This situation does not prevail here, and when the delegates meet no difficulty in organizing a branch is expected. A provincial convention will be held in a few weeks.

It is not expected any action will be taken by local labor leaders in connection with putting forward a candidate for the provincial house until after the meeting of May 14.

In a judgment handed down in the Supreme Court to-day Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald granted a decree absolute to the petitioner, Charlotte Anne Gardner, in the divorce hearing against W. E. Gardner. A. J. Patton appeared for the petitioner.



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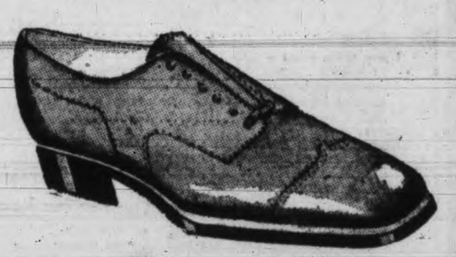
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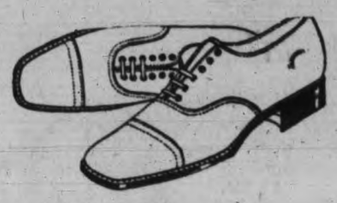
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Women's Summer Oxfords, $2.59



This season's newest styles in white canvas,, in one and two strap pumps, also Oxfords in a selection of lasts and heels; sizes 2½ to 7½. Sale Price, per pair..... **$2.59**

Women's Salome Sandals $5.45

Smart sandal effects in white buckskin, cut-out vamp and sandal strap, also white calf one-strap sandal shoes, perforated; sizes 2½ to 7. Sale Price, per pair **$5.45**

Women's Strap Shoes $3.98

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In fawn and grey buckskin, low heels, perforated vamps, brogue last; sizes 2½ to 7. Sale Price, per pair **$3.98**

Children's Play Sandals $2.98

A popular style for children, in grey leather sandal style with stout leather soles, rubber spring heels; sizes 8 to 10½. Sale Price, per pair **$2.98**
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Chamoisette Gauntlet Gloves with strap and buckle; in shades of covert, grey, mode, mastic and beaver; sizes 6, 6½ and 7. Sale Price, per pair **95c**

Long Chamoisette Gloves, 98c a Pair

12-button Chamoisette Gloves with three dome fasteners, self points; in shades of grey, mode and brown; also black and white; sizes 6 to 7½. Sale Price, per pair **98c**

Elbow Length Chamoisette Gloves, $1.19 a Pair

With self points, strap wrist; in shades of brown, grey and mode; sizes 6 to 7½. Sale Price, per pair..... **$1.19**

French Kid Gloves, Value $3.50 for 98c

With two dome fasteners, pique sewn seams, fancy assorted points; broken sizes. Brown and grey in sizes 5½ and 6; tan, sizes 5½ to 6¾; value $3.50. Sale Price **98c**

French Kid Gloves, Value $4.75 for $3.25

8 and 12-button length, self points, oversewn seams; soft pliable skins. In tan only; sizes 5¾ to 7; value $4.75. Sale Price, per pair **$3.25**

French Suede Gloves, $2.25 a Pair

With two dome fasteners, pique sewn, self stitched points. In brown, beaver and grey; sizes 5¾ to 7. Sale Price, per pair **$2.25**

Silk Gloves, Regular $1.25 for 89c

Heavy Quality Silk Gloves with two dome fasteners, self points. In shades of brown, grey, white, black and white and white and black; sizes 6 to 7½; value $1.25. Sale Price, per pair **89c**

Silk Gloves, $1.54 a Pair

Kayser make, with two dome fasteners, self points. In shades of navy, grey, mastic; also white; sizes 6 to 7½. Not all sizes in any color, but all sizes in the lot; values $1.75 and $2.00. Sale Price, per pair **$1.54**

Chamoisette Gloves, 54c a Pair

With two dome fasteners, self points. In grey, pongee, mode and beaver; sizes 6 to 7½. Sale Price, per pair **54c**

—Main Floor

Women's Quality Hosiery

At Away Below Regular Prices



Don't Judge the quality of the Hosiery by the low prices, but come and examine them for yourself. You'll find that the quality is fully up to the usual Hudson's Bay Standard, but the prices are away down.

Pure Thread Silk Hose, $1.29 a Pair

Extra good quality silk hose, with lisle tops and reinforced feet, in black, suede, white, Havana and nut brown; sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **$1.29**

Sea Island Cotton Hose, 89c a Pair

English made with strong reinforced heels and toes, in black, grey, white, coating, nigger, dove, nude and mole; sizes 8½ to 10½. Sale Price, per pair **89c**

Women's Pure Lisle Hose, 29c a Pair

With wide hem tops and spliced heels and toes; seamless. In black, brown and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **29c**

—Main Floor

"Hudsonia Lisle Hose, 45c a Pair

Mercerized Lisle Hose, with wide hem tops and reinforced heels and toes. In black, white, camel, polo, beige, dove and brown. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **45c**

Silk Lisle Hose, 69c a Pair

With elastic ribbed tops and reinforced heels and toes. In black, white, biege, brown and dove. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **69c**

Fibre Silk Hose, 54c a Pair

With lisle tops, toes and heels. In grey, sand, nigger, polo, camel, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **54c**

Fibre Silk Hose, 89c a Pair

With ribbed garter tops and reinforced feet. In sand, grey, beige, nigger, suede, black and white; plain or with lace clocks. Also in stripe effects. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **89c**

Pure Thread Silk Hose, $1.35 a Pair

With elastic ribbed tops, reinforced with artificial silk to give longer wear; spliced heels and toes. Come in black, white suede, medium grey beige, nigger and beaver. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **$1.35**

"Imperial" Pure Silk Hose, $1.79 a Pair

Made with elastic ribbed or plain hem tops, reinforced heels and toes. In black, brown, grey, suede, beaver, mode, white and camel. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **$1.79**

Glove Silk Hose, Regular Values $4.00 and $4.50. Sale Price, $2.54

Kayser, Queen Quality and Niagara Maid Glove Silk Hose, with reinforced heels and toes. In black, white, pink, brown, navy and mode. Sizes 8½ to 10. Not all sizes in any one color, but all sizes in the lot. Sale Price, per pair **$2.54**

—Main Floor

Three Excellent Values in Children's Hose

White Cotton Socks, 29c a Pair

With fancy turn-down tops and spliced heels and toes; sizes 5½ to 9½. Sale Price, per pair, **29c**

Cotton Hose, 22c a Pair

Black Cotton Hose, in 1-1 rib, reinforced feet. Sale Price, per pair **22c**

Lisle Hose, 45c a Pair

Seal of Quality Lisle Hose, with reinforced heels and toes, in black, brown and white. Sale Price, per pair **45c**

—Main Floor

Fifteen Per Cent. Off Hair Goods

During the period of this Sale all Switches, Toupees, Transformation Sets of Puffs, Curls, etc., offered in our Hairdressing and Manicuring Parlors will be sold at 15 per cent off regular prices. Splendid assortments to select from. Come early and inspect our large stock.

Mezzanine Floor

100 Novels at 65c Each

Special sale of Reprint Novels, all by well-known authors; regular $1.00. Clearing Saturday at ..... **65¢**

—Main Floor

Saturday Bargains at the Quick Service Notion Counter

Mending Wool Skeins
Large size, all shades. Sale Price, 7 for ..... **25¢**

Mending Silk
In black, white and shades. Sale Price, 2 for ..... **15¢**

Bunch Tape
English made, in bundles, assorted sizes. Sale Price, per bundle ..... **19¢**

Suit and Coat Hangers
Made from strong, smooth wood, with bar for women's skirts or men's trousers. Sale Price, each ..... **10¢**

Shopping Bags
Made from brown string, with double handles. Sale Price ..... **5¢**

Hair Nets
Hudson's Bay or Princess Pat's Hair Nets, in cap or fringe shape; all shades. Sale Price, 3 for ..... **25¢**

—Main Floor

Indestructible Pearl Necklets at $3.95

Genuine French Indestructible Pearl Necklets, in nicely graded strings; regular value $7.50. Sale Price **$3.95**

—Main Floor

Fountain Pens 39c Each

English Made, Self-filling Fountain Pens, suitable for office or school use. Sale Price **39c**

—Main Floor

Tobacco Specials for Saturday

The "Cable" Cigars
A big 5c Cigar. Sale Price, 7 for ... **25¢**
Little Cigars, 25c packets for ..... **19¢**
Rose de Habana Cigars, 25 in a box, **98¢**

"Jolly Good" Pipe Tobacco
Value 15c a tin. Sale Price, 2 tins, **23¢**

Tobacco Pouches
Of heavy rubber, value 75c. Sale Price ..... **55¢**

—Main Floor

Drug Sundries at Sale Prices

Nujol, value $1.00 for ..... **83¢**
Cuticura Ointment, value 50c, for ..... **39¢**
Dodds Kidney Pills, value 50c, for ..... **37¢**
Mentholatum, value 25c, for ..... **18¢**
Hydrogen Peroxide, value 75c, for ..... **58¢**
Hutax Tooth Paste, value 25c, for ..... **18¢**
Minards Liniment, value 25c, for ..... **19¢**
Virol, value $1.50, for **$1.23**
Gillette Blades, value $1.00, for ..... **83¢**
Sterno Canned Heat, value 15c, 3 for **29¢**
Odorono, value 35c, for ..... **27¢**
Eau De Cologne, value 75c, for ..... **63¢**

Pond's Cold or Vanishing Cream, value 50c, for ..... **33¢**

French Olive Oil, value 35c, for ..... **23¢**
Pure Castor Oil, value 25c, for ..... **17¢**
Vinolia Bath Soap, value 20c, 2 for ... **29¢**
Vinolia Lavender Soap, value 40c a box, for ..... **29¢**
Tooth Brushes, value 25c, for ..... **17¢**
D'Orsay Face Powder, value $1.50, for **98¢**
Yardley Lavender Water, value $1.25, for ..... **98¢**
Melba Toilet Water, value $2.00, for **$1.25**
Piver's Toilet Water, value $2.75, for **$1.98**
Eau De Cologne, value 75c, for ..... **63¢**

—Main Floor

Groceries and Provisions

AT SALE PRICES

Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **44¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.30**
Hudson's Bay Company's Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **42¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.25**
Finest No. 1 Alberta Butter, per lb. .... **34¢**
3 lbs. ..... **98¢**
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... **17¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **50¢**
Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ... **32¢**
Finest Quality Side Breakfast Bacon, per lb. ..... **30¢**
Peameal Back Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. ..... **33¢**
Prime Old Canadian Cheese, per lb. ... **29¢**
Keepsweet Cream, small size, per tin 5c, family size, per tin ..... **11¢**
Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... **23¢**
2 lbs. for ..... **45¢**
Hudson's Bay Company's Special Blend Breakfast Tea, per lb. ..... **53¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.58**
5-lb. package **$2.60**
10-lb. package **$5.15**
Pure Dutch Cocoa in Bulk, 2 lbs. for **25¢**
Hudson's Bay Company's Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. ..... **35¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.00**
Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, 100-lb. sack **$9.50**
20-lb. paper sack **$1.92**
Five Roses Brand, Freshly Milled Rolled Oats, 20-lb. sack ..... **98¢**
Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity Flour, 98-lb. sack **$3.52**
49-lb. sack **$1.78**
24-lb. sack ..... **92¢**
Campbell's Tomato Soup, new season's pack. Sale Price, 8 tins for **$1.00**

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Local Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb. ..... **50¢**
Imported Tomatoes, per lb. ..... **30¢**
Jackson's Palmetto Asparagus, per bundle ..... **35¢**
Fresh Rhubarb, 5 lbs. for ..... **25¢**
Fine Local Cucumbers, each ..... **20¢**
Florida Grape Fruit, 2 for ..... **25¢**
California Grape Fruit, 4 for ..... **25¢**
Finest Cooking Apples, 4 lbs. for ..... **25¢**
Cabbage, water cress, green onions, leeks, spinach, cauliflower, lettuce, radish, etc.

—Lower Main Floor

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Saturday is Fathers' Day

Because Saturday is the day when father can most conveniently accompany mother and the children on a shopping expedition through the store we have designated it as Fathers' Day.

It is Father's purse which supplies the necessary cash for everything in the home, for the children's clothing, for Mother's new Spring suit or hat and for his own personal requirements.

Just at the commencement of the season, when so many new things are wanted, our Anniversary Sale offers substantial savings on everything which Father may be called upon to buy.

We extend a cordial invitation to all fathers to visit this store to-morrow and to take full advantage of the wonderful bargains offered iin every department.

Cardigans, Pullovers and Jacquettes



Values to $8.50, for $4.54

A large selection of styles in silk and wool, all wool and brushed wool, in shades of silver, turquoise, navy, camel, jade, peach, Saxe and black and white; values to $8.50. Sale Price

$4.54

Shetland Wool Cardigans at $1.89

Fine knit wool with long sleeves with ribbed cuffs, five-button fastening, in shades of camel, Saxe, grey and navy. Sale Price **$1.89**

—Second Floo

Anniversary Bargains in House Dresses

Made from a splendid quality check gingham, trimmed with organdie and neatly embroidered; others with white pique collars and finished with black tie; all have two large pockets and tie sashes, in shades of red and white, navy and white, blue and white, mauve and white and black and white. Sale Price **$1.98**

—Second Floo

New Spring Silks, Wash Fabrics and Wool Goods Reduced

Select your Spring and Summer requirements now from our tremendous stock and wonderful assortments. Prices during this Sale are down to rock bottom. All the favored fabrics for the new season are here in the widest possible variety of weaves and colorings.



Georgettes and Ninons $1.00 a Yard

40-inch Georgettes and Ninons, in shades of brown, cerise, Pekin, navy, nile, turquoise, maize, flesh, taupe, myrtle, wine, cocoa, plum, scarlet, mauve and royal. Reg. $1.95. Sale Price, yd.. **$1.00**

Dresden Silks, $1.00 a Yard

18-inch Dresden Silks, in neat designs and excellent color combinations for trimmings and fancy work; value $1.75. Sale Price, per yard.. **$1.00**

Crepe de Chine, $1.69 a Yard

40-Inch Crepe de Chine, in shades of manve, Royal, rose, flame Copen, maize, brown, cerise and taupe. Value $1.95. Sale Price, per yard **$1.69**

Ginghams, 15c a Yard

26-inch Ginghams in a wide assortment of plaid effects. Sale Price, per yard **15c**

Printed Voiles, 39c a Yard

40 inches wide in many charming color combinations. Sale Price, per yard **39c**

Ratines, 49c a Yard

38 inches wide, in all the wanted colorings. Sale Price, per yard **49c**

Etamines, 49c a Yard

32 inches wide, in two-tone plaids, sun proof and tub proof. Sale Price, per yard **49c**

Printed Silk Marocain, $2.98 a Yard

40-inch Silk Marocain in many rich color combinations; values to $4.75. Sale Price, per yard **$2.98**

Black Silk Faille

38-inch, regular value $3.95. Sale Price, per yard **$3.19**

Crepe Back Charmont, $2.98 a Yard

A rich soft draping satin in shades of henna, flame, grey, taupe, brown, nigger, navy and Pekin; 40 inches wide; value $4.75. Sale Price, per yard **$2.98**

Black Chiffon Taffetas

36-inch, regular value $2.50. Sale Price, per yard **$1.98**
38-inch, regular value $2.75. Sale Price, per yard **$2.29**
38-inch, regular value $2.95. Sale Price, per yard **$2.39**
38-inch, regular value $3.00. Sale Price, per yard **$2.49**

Wool Fabrics in Novelty Weaves, Values to $4.50 for $1.98 a Yard

Weights for dresses, suits and separate skirts. Included in the collection are 54-inch Novelty Skirtings in plaids and stripes; 54-inch Novelty Stripe Homespuns; 54-inch Novelty Check Homespuns; 54-inch Worsted Suitings, and 54-inch Block Checks in black and white; values to $4.50. Sale Price, yard **$1.98**

Black Duchesse Satins
38-inch, regular value $2.75. Sale Price per yard **$1.9**
38-inch, regular value $2.95. Sale Price per yard **$2.3**
38-inch, regular value $3.50. Sale Price per yard **$2.7**

Brushed Wool Coatings
54 inches wide, in two tone stripes and mixtures. Sale Price, per yard, **$1.9**

Wool Tweeds
52 inches wide, in mixtures. Sale Price per yard **98**

Striped Tweeds
27 inches wide. Sale Price, yard, **69**

Pure Black Wool Serge
42 inches wide. Sale Price, yard, **69**

Novelty Black Checks and Striped Skirtings
54 inches wide. Sale Price, yard **$1.9**

Broadcloths in All Shades
54 inches wide. Sale Price, yard, **$2.9**

Novelty Plaid Ratines, 98c a Yard
In the new openwork check effect. Small and effective fabrics for Summer wear. Choose from grey, tan, mauve, Saxe, Royal and almond; 38 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard **98**

—Main Flo

Remarkable Values in Sheets, Sheetings Pillow Cases and Bedspreads

Bleached Sheetings
70-inch. Sale Price, per yard..... **54¢**
80-inch. Sale Price, per yard..... **63¢**
63-inch, medium weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **63¢**
72-inch, medium weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **68¢**
81-inch, medium weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **79¢**
72-inch, extra heavy. Sale Price, per yard ..... **89¢**
81-inch, extra heavy. Sale Price, per yard ..... **98¢**
72-inch, bleached twill. Sale Price, per yard ..... **89¢**
81-inch, bleached twill. Sale Price, per yard ..... **98¢**
72-inch, linen finished. Sale Price, per yard ..... **89¢**
81-inch, linen finished. Sale Price, per yard ..... **98¢**

Fully Bleached English Sheets for Double Beds, $4.98 a Pair

A wonderful sale offering in Fully Bleached Sheets woven from round thread yarns of close texture. Sheets that will give every service in wear; size 80 x 99. Sale Price, per pair **$4.98**

Double Bed Size White Marcella Bedspreads, $5.85

Snow White Marcella Bedspreads woven from sturdy yarns in designs that show up clearly; sizes 83 x 104. Sale Price, each **$5.85**

Horrockses' Pillow Cases, 59c Each

A low price for these high grade Pillow Cases. Made from fine cotton in a weight that will give every service; 42 inches wide. Sale Price, each **59c**

High Grade Heavy Circular Pillow Cotton, 49c a Yard

600 yards of Heavy Circular Pillow Cottons including Horrockses,; 40, 42 and 45 inches wide; values to 75c. Sale Price, per yard ..... **49¢**

Unbleached Sheetings
72-inch, medium weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **44¢**
81-inch, medium weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **53¢**
72-inch, heavy weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **63¢**
81-inch, heavy weight. Sale Price, per yard ..... **79¢**



Snow White Dimity Bedspreads
Size 68 x 86. Sale Price..... **$2.6**
Size 77 x 95. Sale Price..... **$3.2**
Size 86 x 104. Sale Price..... **$3.9**

Honeycomb Bedspreads
Size 75 x 96. Sale Price..... **$3.7**
Size 75 x 96. Sale Price..... **$3.9**
Size 78 x 100. Sale Price..... **$4.9**

—Main Flo

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THE SEAL OF QUALITY

100 Sewing Aprons, 35c Each

Useful but very attractive Aprons made from good quality factory cotton; novelty pockets of colored cretonne. Anniversary Sale Price.... **35c**

—Second Floor

Suits, Coats, Skirts and Dresses at Bargain Prices



All in the Most Up-to-date Styles

Misses' and Small Women's Suits, Values to $25.00 for $17.75

We have a wonderful assortment of Box Suits, in sand, cocoa and navy, with braid and embroidery trimmings, high neck fastened with button and cord, two-piece and wrap-around skirts; sizes 16 to 20. Sale Price **$17.75**

Boys' Tailored Suits at $31.50

Smartly tailored Suits in poiret twill and gaberdine. Short coats in single and double-breasted styles, notch collars, silk lined; tailored and wrap-around skirts; sizes to 38. Sale Price **$31.50**

All Model and Novelty Suits at reduced prices. Only one of a kind.

New Sports Coats at $8.95

Smart Sports Coats in novelty checks and stripes. Wrap-around styles with crushable collars; also tailored models with large patch pockets and all-round belt; in grey and brown shades; sizes to 42. Sale Price **$8.95**



New Sports Coats at $15.95

Smartly tailored models in wrap-around and belted styles, in polo and cameline cloth, in plain, fancy plaids and stripes. Half and full lined. Come in camel, sand, grey and others; sizes to 42. Sale Price **$15.95**

Cotton Wash Dresses $2.54

Suitable for beach and veranda wear, in fancy floral voiles and ginghams, with dainty cuffs and collars of organdie. Several smart styles to choose from; sizes to 40. Sale Price **$2.54**

Another Special Group of Wash Dresses, $2.98

In fancy checked ginghams, with trimmings of organdie; short sleeves. Suitable for beach and general house wear. Come in blue and white, black and white, brown and white, rose and white and many other shades; sizes to 40. Sale Price **$2.98**

Pleated Serge Skirts at $2.95

Smart Skirts in double box-pleated styles. Made from good quality serge in white, navy and black; waist sizes 26 to 30. Sale Price **$2.95**

Frock Sports Skirts at $3.75

Made from good quality flannel, in grey and taupe only. Double box-pleated styles on cotton camisole top. Sizes 16 to 38. Sale Price **$3.75**

—Second Floor

A Few of the Special Bargains in the Girls' Section

Girls' Navy Serge Skirts, $1.98
Durable pleated Skirts for school wear in good quality navy serge, attached to white cotton bodice; sizes 6 to 14 years. Sale Price **$1.98**

Girls' Trench Coats, Values to $11.50 for $6.98
English make in splendid quality fawn gaberdine, full plaid lined, convertible collar and two pockets, all round belt; sizes 8 to 16 years. Sale Price **$6.98**

Girls' Gingham Dresses, 98c
A number of pretty styles in neat check gingham, some with Peter Pan collars, neatly embroidered, others with round necks and short sleeves, tie sash; in an assortment of pretty colors; sizes 7 to 14 years. Sale Price.. **98c**

Girls' Serge Dresses, $2.98
In good quality navy serge, round neck and long sleeves, pleated skirt and all-round belt; neck and belt neatly embroidered; sizes 4, 5 and 6 years. Sale Price **$2.98**

—Second Floor

Save Now on Stationery

Hudson's Bay Special Writing Pads, 22c
Contains 70 sheets of good linen paper. Sale Price ..... **22¢**

The "Acto" Writing Pad, 10c
Contains 50 sheets of notepaper, value 15c. Sale Price ..... **10¢**

Hudsonia Notepaper, 25c a Packet
Good linen Notepaper in ¾-pound packets; value 35c. Sale Price, per packet ..... **25¢**

"Ellis Ripple" Boxed Stationery, 54c
In blue, pink, mauve and grey; contains 24 sheets of notepaper and 24 envelopes. Sale Price, per box ..... **54¢**

Second Sheets, 49c a Packet
500 sheets in a packet. Sale Price ..... **49¢**

Business Envelopes, 95c a box
500 in a box, No. 7 size, well gummed; value $1.25. Sale Price, per box ..... **95¢**

School Lead Pencils, 6 for 25c
H.B. Pencils, value 3 for 25c. Sale Price, 6 for: ..... **25¢**

School Scribblers, 4 for 30c
Large size School Scribblers containing 188 pages, plain or ruled for pencil; value 10c. Sale Price, 4 for ..... **30¢**

—Main Floor



H.B.C. Knitting Worsted

6 BALLS FOR 89c

In a good range of colors including Oriental, mist, orange, copper, rose, coral, grey, etc. Sale Price, 6 balls for ..... **89¢**

Art Needlework Specials

Stamped Three-piece Buffet Sets, 29c
Of white needleweave; regular value 35c. Sale Price ..... **29¢**

Stamped Pillow Cases, $1.75 a Pair
Of excellent quality tubular cotton, simple designs. Sale Price, per pair **$1.75**

Stamped Scarves, 60c
Of tan linen in effective designs, size 18 x 45 with fringed ends. Sale Price ..... **60¢**

Stamped Cushion Slips, 65c
Of tall linen to match scarves. Sale Price ..... **65¢**

—Mezzanine Floor

Corsets

Values to $5.75 for $3.98

Comprising a number of models taken from our regular stock in Nemo, La Diva, A La Grace and Namsie. In Namsie and A La Grace we feature medium and low bust lines, varying length skirts, in sizes 22 to 30. Also Namsie surgical elastic side section Corsets, with elastic topin pink broche, sizes 23 to 29, and a few all-elastic girdles in sizes 30, 31 and 32; values to $5.75 Sale Price

$3.98

D & A Corsets 98c
With low bust, medium skirt length, also low elastic top; sizes 22 to 30. Sale Price **98c**

Bandeau Brassieres 49c
In pink Madras with elastic section across front, sizes 32 to 40. Sale Price **49c**

—Second Floor

Special Purchase of Trimmed Hats

Offering Saturday at the Special Low Price of $5.75

Just received in time for Saturday's selling, a wonderful assortment of new Spring Hats, made from high-grade straws and becomingly trimmed with flowers and ribbons in the latest styles. All the season's newest shapes and shades to choose from. Anniversary Sale Price **$5.75**

—Second Floor

New Ribbons at Sale Prices

Dresden Ribbon, 35c a Yard
In light and dark grounds, for hair bows, sashes and trimmings. Sale Price, per yard **35c**

Taffeta Ribbon, 29c a Yard
5 inches wide, in shades of pink, maize, white, royal, brown, reseda, red, emerald, navy and Saxe. Sale Price, per yard **29c**

Fancy Ribbon, 69c a Yard
In white, sky, rose, green, black, navy and cerise grounds, with all-over printed designs, suitable for millinery, dresses, vestees, camisoles, handbags, etc., 8½ inches wide; value $1.60. Sale Price, per yard **69c**

—Main Floor

Satinette and Tricolette Underskirts at $2.98

Fine quality Satinette Skirts, with deep pleated flounce finished with scalloped points, neatly buttonholed, flounce trimmed with attractive colored stitching. Come in shades of rust, brown, Paddy, navy and purple. Silk Tricotine Skirts with deep flounce of mercerized satin, in neat conventional design in shades of grey, sand, nigger, Pekin and gold. Sale Price **$2.98**

Taffetine Underskirts

AT 89¢

Good durable Skirts, with deep pleated flounce, in shades of Paddy, purple, cerise, Saxe, navy and black. Sale Price **89c**

—Second Floor

Women's Underwear

Women's Bloomers, 2 for $1.49
Full cut garments with gusset, in flesh and white; sizes 36 to 42. Sale Price 2 pairs for **$1.49**

Women's Pantalettes, Value $2.75. Sale Price $1.98
Fine mercerized lisle Pantalettes, well made garments, reinforced, double garter knee; in gold, rose and cardinal. Sale Price per pair .. **$1.98**

Manufacturers' Seconds in Women's Bloomers 39c
Only slight imperfections. Made from good grade knit cotton in mauve, grey, pink, sky and white. Sale Price, per pair **39c**

Women's Vests at 59c Each
Cotton Knit Vests in opera top and fitted shoulder straps; sizes 36 to 42. Sale Price, each **59c**

—Second Floor

Extraordinary Bargains in the Drapery Section

Curtain Nets at 29c a Yard
43-inch Curtain Nets in neat patterns, will make very attractive curtains. Sale Price, per yard..... **29c**

Cretonnes at 39c a Yard
31 and 36-inch Cretonnes in a good assortment of patterns; values to 59c. Sale Price, per yard..... **39c**

Tapestry Table Covers at $2.98
Heavy Tapestry Table Covers with fringe all round, in all the wanted shades; regular value $3.75. Sale Price, each..... **$2.98**

English Shadow Cloth and Hand Blocked Cretonnes at 98c a Yard
Beautiful fabrics for loose covers and side hangings; values to $1.65. Sale Price, per yard ..... **98¢**

Fast Color Madras at 69c a Yard
36 inches wide, in blue, gold or silver and guaranteed fast color; values to $1.50. Sale Price, per yard ..... **69¢**

English Striped Awning Cloth at 59c a Yard
English Awning Cloths in the new stripe effects. Sale Price, per yard..... **59¢**

Window Shades at 73c Each
100 only, Green Opaque Window Shades, complete with brackets. Sale Price, at each ..... **73¢**

Novelty and Net Curtains at $2.59 a Pair
Dainty Curtains in filet and novelty voile trimmed; 2½ yards long; values to $3.25. Sale Price, per pair **$2.59**

—Third Floor

Half Price Sale of Beautiful Ornamental China

Wonderful values in this assortment. Dozens of pieces and hardly two alike. In the collection you will find vases, rose bowls, jardinieres, salad bowls, cake plates, cups and saucers, candlesticks, nut bowls, cocoa sets, three-piece tea sets, fruit sets, syrup jugs, marmalade jars, etc. May Sale ..... **HALF PRICE**

—Lower Main Floor

100 Cut Glass Marmalade Jars at 95c Each

This is a sale special. Clear Glass Jars in dainty cut pattern, complete with spoon. Sale Price, each **95c**

51-piece Dinner Sets at $12.95

These sets are exceptional values in a pretty pink border design. A good grade English semi-porcelain, clearing at about half the original price. Sale Price, per set **$12.95**

—Lower Main Floor

Electrical Appliances

AT ASTONISHING REDUCTIONS

Automatic Turnover Electric Toasters, $4.39
Beautifully finished in nickel. Summer is the time to use one of these; no fire required. Sale Price **$4.39**

Electric Toaster Stoves, $1.59
Nickel plated body, will boil or toast. Sale Price **$1.59**

Electric Curling Irons, $1.98
Every woman should have one. Sale Price **$1.98**

Electric Curling Marcel Wavers, $2.98
Makes a genuine Marcel wave. Sale Price **$2.98**

Electric Soldering Irons, $2.95
Heat in two minutes. Every radio fan should have one. Sale Price **$2.95**

Imperial Electric Irons, $4.95
There are so many cheap irons sold to-day. We do not want you to confuse this with a low-priced iron. We guarantee it to be equal in value to any $7.00 iron. Sale Price **$4.95**

Two-way Electric Sockets, 39c
Every house should have one. Sale Price, each ..... **39¢**

25-watt Tungsten Lamps, 5 for $1.00
25-watt Tungsten Lamps, to clear at 5 for **$1.00**

—Lower Main Floor

Extra Low Prices on

Firth's Stainless Steel Knives

Another special buy enables us to offer these fine Knives at exceptionally low prices. Round or square white handled Dinner Knives. Sale Price, per half dozen, **$4.45**
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These knives will clear quickly at these prices. Be well advised and order early.

—Lower Main Floor

Hudson's Bay Victor Paint

$3.95 A GALLON

Victor House Paint for outdoor and indoor use. Dark slate, dark brown, cream, light slate, light brown, green and white. A thoroughly dependable paint with good covering qualities. Sale Price, per gallon can **$3.95**

—Lower Main Floor

Candy Specials

Ganong's Assorted Chocolates, Sale Price, per lb. ..... **73¢**
Cowan's Nut Milk Bars, Sale Price, 2 for ..... **39¢**
Cowan's Cream Bars, Sale Price, 6 for **25¢**
Jelly Beans, Sale Price, per lb. ..... **35¢**
Johnny Sticks, Sale Price, 6 for ..... **25¢**
Rowntrees Assorted Pastilles, Sale Price, per lb. ..... **83¢**

—Main Floor

It's Time To Buy New Rugs

These Prices Are Lower Than They Have Been in Years



1 Only Tapestry Rug, size 9 x 9. Sale Price **$14.95**
1 Only, Tapestry Rug, size 9 x 12. Sale Price **$22.50**
1 Only, Brussels Rug, size 9 x 12. Sale Price **$39.50**
1 Only, Wilton Rug, size 6.9 x 9. Sale Price **$35.00**
1 Only, Wilton Rug, size 9 x 9. Sale Price **$45.00**
1 Only, Wilton Rug, size 9 x 12. Sale Price **$55.00**
1 Only, Wilton Rug, size 11.3 x 13.6. Sale Price **$89.75**

Plain Seamless Axminster Rugs
Size 7.6 x 9. Regular $65.00. Sale Price. **$46.50**
Size 9 x 9. Regular $77.50. Sale Price .. **$53.75**
Size 9 x 10.6. Reg. $92.50. Sale Price **$65.00**
Size 10.6 x 13.6. Reg. $139.50. Sale Price **$98.50**

Wash Rugs at Big Reductions
A limited quantity only, in blue or rose shades—
Size 4.6 x 7.6, regular values $9.75. Sale Price **$6.95**
Size 6 x 9, regular value $16.95. Sale Price, **$10.95**

Reversible Cocoa Matting Rugs, $3.50
The best made Cocoa Matting Rug on the market, reversible and exceptional value; size 3 x 5.3; value $4.25. Sale Price **$3.50**

Jute Stair Carpet, 55c a Yard
Reversible Stair Carpet made from hard wearing jute; values to 69c. Sale Price, per yard.... **55¢**

100 Only, Wash Rugs at $1.35 Each
Washable Rugs for bedrooms or bathrooms, finished with fringed ends; size 27 x 54. Sale Price, **$1.35**

Feltol Floor Covering at 46c Per Square Yard
Suitable for any room in the home, in a nice selection of designs; 6 feet wide. Sale Price, per square yard ..... **46¢**

Heavy Printed Linoleum at 89c Per Square Yard
Heavy grade Linoleum in well selected patterns; 6 feet wide. Sale Price, per square yard.... **89¢**

—Third Floor

Oddments in Furniture

Special Reductions For This Sale

All-Felt Mattresses, $7.50
Simmons All-felt Mattresses, with stitched roll edge, built-in layers, and guaranteed not to lump. Well tufted and covered in fine art ticking. Size 3 ft. 3 in. and 4 ft. 6 in. Regular value $9.50. Sale Price **$7.50**

8 Only, Walnut Windsor Chairs, $9.75
With full shaped seats, bow back with seven spindles and two truss braced; a handsome chair for living or breakfast room; value $12.50. Sale Price **$9.75**

High Back Windsor Chairs, $16.50
2 only, in very pleasing design; value $21.00. Sale Price **$16.50**

Desk Chair, $25.00
1 only, in Louis 16th design, with cane seat and back, turned and fluted legs, beautifully finished in dark mahogany; value $30.75. Sale Price **$25.00**

Genuine Walnut Library Table, $37.50
1 only, in Queen Anne design, with drawer and book racks; value $50.00. Sale Price **$37.50**

Square Mahogany Parlor Table, $6.95
18-in. top, regular value $9.75. Sale Price, **$6.95**

Square Mahogany Parlor Table, $11.75
1 only, regular value $16.00. Sale Price, **$11.75**

Pedestals, $5.50
3 only, in fumed oak finish, 19 inches high, value $7.50. Sale Price **$5.50**

Fumed Oak Tabourettes, $3.95
With round or square top, 3 only; value $5.95. Sale Price **$3.95**

Solid Oak Morris Chair, $17.50
In golden finish, with tapestry seat and back; value $22.00. Sale Price **$17.50**

Solid Oak Royal Easy Chair, $39.50
3 only, in fumed oak finish, with high grade tapestry cushion seats and backs, has extension foot and back is adjustable by push button; a very durable and comfortable chair; value $57.50. Sale Price, each **$39.50**

—Fourth Floor

Men's Business Suits

EXTRAORDINARY VALUE AT $22.95

Some With Two Pairs of Trousers

Expertly tailored Suits made in light and dark grey, also brown tweeds, ideal for Spring and Summer wear. Fashioned in two and three-button models that will suit both young and old men. Some of these Suits have two pairs of trousers; all sizes. Sale Price—

$22.95



Men's Cotton Made Work Pants at $1.69 a Pair

Made from splendid wearing quality cottonade in dark grey stripe. Well cut and finished with belt loops, watch, side and hip pockets. An ideal work pant; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair **$1.69**

Men's Furnishings at May Anniversary Sale Prices

Swivel Cord Braces, made from strong elastic web, with the comfortable swivel cord back and cord ends. 120 pairs only. Sale Price, per pair **45c**

Traveler's Samples of Leather Belts, real leather belts, in all styles, in grey, brown and black. Also real cowhide belts, in plain and fancy grain. All traveler's samples; sizes 30 to 60. Values to $1.50. Sale Price **49c**

Pyjamas, made from fine cotton fabrics, in neat stripes; has slightly fleeced surface. Full cut garments and button holes finished with silk braid, military collar; sizes 36 to 44. Value $2.95. Sale Price, per suit **$1.98**

Percale Shirts, made from splendid quality, close woven percales, in blue, black and mauve stripes. Regulation full cut coat style with double cuffs; sizes 14 to 17½. Value $2.50. Sale Price **$1.79**
2 for **$3.50**

Spring Caps, smart one-piece crowns, with stitched, unbreakable peaks. Made from English tweeds, in fawn, Lovat and mixture shades. All silk lined, and guaranteed to hold the shape; sizes 6⅝ to 7⅜. Sale Price ... **$1.79**

Balbriggan Combinations, the comfort garment for Summer wear. Made from fine-knit cotton, in natural shade. Sizes 34 to 44. Sale Price, per suit **98c**

—Main Floor

Anniversary Bargains in Boys' Clothing



Boys' Tweed Suits With Extra Bloomers, $9.95

Smart grey and mixture Tweed Suits, in belted models. Full size bloomers finished with governor fasteners and lined throughout; sizes to fit boys 8 to 16 years. All with extra bloomers. Sale Price **$9.95**

Boys' Khaki Bloomers, Regular $1.15, Sale Price 50c Pair

Made from strong quality khaki denim, in bloomer style, in sizes to fit boys 5, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years; 40 pairs only. Not more than two pair to a customer. No phone orders please. Sale Price per pair **50c**

Boys' Tweed Bloomers at $1.69 a Pair

Boys' Bloomers of strong quality tweed, in dark grey shade; also blue serge and corduroy bloomers, in sizes to 16 years. All full lined and fitted with governor fasteners. Values to $2.75. Sale Price, per pair **$1.69**

—Main Floor

BASEBALL, BOXING TIMES SPORTING NEWS BASKETBALL, GOLF

Sons and Vets to Try For Decision In Game To-morrow

Clubs Look For Another Close, Stiff Game in Finals of the Brown Cup Series

Veterans Will Show Off Their Connaught Cup Team on Wednesday Next

Once again the Sons of England and Veterans will make an endeavor to-morrow afternoon to determine which club is the better and which is to annex the Brown Cup for one year. This year these clubs have met six times and only on two occasions did they come to a decision. Each has a close verdict over the other while four games were drawn.

The Sons and Vets survived the knockout series of the Brown Cup and last Saturday met in the finals but, despite half an hour's overtime play, finished up with two goals apiece. To-morrow the clubs will face each other once again when they hope to settle the argument once and for all.

The game will be played at the Royal Athletic Park, with the kick-off at 3 o'clock. Art Stokes will toot the whistle.

LOOK FOR BIG CROWD

It is expected that this game will attract a large number of fans. Both clubs will be at top strength and a very even and close game should result.

With the Brown Cup argument settled the Victoria and District Football Association will have but one more series to settle before calling a halt on its activities for the season. The Combination Cup has yet to be disposed of. By Thursday of next week it is expected that the last of the games will be decided. The North Wards at present hold the lead with the Veterans in second place. The Sons of England, if they win their remaining games, will crowd the Wards for the honors.

Arrangements have been made for a game in the Combination Cup series on Tuesday night at the Royal Athletic Park when the Sons of England will meet the Hudson's Bay. Alcock will handle the whistle.

The Veterans team which is to appear in the Connaught Cup series is to play an exhibition game at the Royal Athletic Park on Wednesday evening next at 6.15 o'clock. The Veterans have signed a number of players from other clubs and will present a very formidable line-up. The Vets will be opposed by a team picked from the rest of the First Division and the Wednesday League.

Archie Muir and Jim and Sid Sherratt, of the Wests, Harry Copas, of Broad Street, and Cummins of the Garrison have signed with the Veterans, while it is understood that Tupman and Phillips, of the Sons of England, will throw in their support to the club. The Veterans will be in fine fettle for their first game on May 10, when they entertain here a Mainland eleven in the first round of the series.

Esquimalt, the other Victoria entry in the Connaught Cup series, is also strengthened up, although as yet no mention has been made of the new players signed.

The team which has been picked to oppose the Veterans will be as follows: Goal, Shrimpton, Hudson's Bay; full-backs, Auchinvale, Moose, and Harwood, Sons of England; half-back, Mesher, Esquimalt, Tupman, Sons of England, and Sivell, Hudson's Bay; forwards, Stewart, Esquimalt; Phillips, Sons of England; J. Peden, Victoria West; P. Mulcahy, Victoria West, and Howden, North Ward; Reserves, Hocks, Obee and Hosmer, Hudson's Bay; J. Watt and T. Watt, Esquimalt, and J. White, Navy.

The Sons of England team for to-morrow will be picked from the following players: Hetherington, Tuckwell, Harwood, Swan, Tupman, Anstead, Hood, Phillips, Southern, Bridges, Shanks, Driver, Lock and Church.

TIMELY TIPS TO AMATEURS

SAYS JACK BENTLEY
Pitcher, New York Giants

My opening tip to the amateur ball player is, select the position you like best and stick to it.

Don't let them shift you around. The utility player neve rgets as far as the regular star, no matter how great his ability.

I made the mistake of doing other things besides pitching, simply because I am fortunate enough to be a better batter than the average pitcher.

My hitting has caused me to be used in the outfield, at first base and as pinch hitter.

While I am listed as a pitcher, I prefer first base, since that position gets you into the game regularly.

My one best tip to the amateur is be original. If you have a peculiar style that isn't regarded as good form, but gets results, stick to it.

Hans Wagner had his own peculiar style, yet was one of the game's greatest infielders.

They say my position at the bat is all wrong, yet I have done pretty well as a hitter. Any time I try to perfect my form, my hitting goes wrong. It's a mistake. Be original.

Walker Will Meet Tendler in Title Fight on June 2

Philadelphia, Pa., May 2.—Mickey Walker, welterweight champion, has signed a contract to meet Lew Tendler, Philadelphia lightweight, for the world's title at the Philadelphia National League park on June 2.

WILL STAY AT HOME



J. O. ANDERSON

Sydney, N.S.W., May 2.—James O. Anderson, captain and star of the Australian Davis Cup team that was defeated by the United States in 1923, challenge round, has abandoned definitely all hope of competing in this year's contest for international team supremacy.

Anderson is regarded as one of the finest singles players in the world, being generally ranked now as second only to Tilden and on a par with William M. Johnston.

Cricket Winners Opposing Second Half To-morrow

Incogs and Victoria Should Furnish Feature Match; Albions Meet Services

Cowichan Will Make First Visit to City and Will Oppose The Five C's

Last week's cricket winners will be arrayed against the vanquished in to-morrow's matches. The schedule will not bring together any of the victorious elevens.

The schedule of the Victoria and District Cricket Association calls for the following matches:

Cowichan vs. Five C's at Beacon Hill.

United Services vs. Albions at Work Point.

Incogs vs. Victoria at Mount Tolmie.

All games will start promptly at 2.30 o'clock.

Cowichan will be making its first appearance here in the V. and D.C.A. For several seasons past the club has played friendly matches with Victoria elevens but this year decided to enter the league, a move which was greatly appreciated here. Cowichan was just defeated last Saturday by the Albions at the Duncan pitch.

Cowichan will take on Five C's to-morrow. This should prove a very good game. Five C's acounted for the Incogs last week due to the fine batting of Quainton.

OLD RIVALS MEET

Two ancient rivals of the cricket field will face each other at Mount Tolmie when the Incogs and Victoria meet. The latter won the championship last year with the Incogs as runner-up. The year previous the Incogs captured the Virtue Cup. Although beaten last week the Incogs believe that they will fare better to-morrow. Sparks was the only man who had his eye in against the Five C's. Victoria who conquered the United Services last Saturday have a smart side this year and the Incogs will find the going hard when they face the spirited bowling of the champions.

The United Services and Albions should have a merry tussleñ although on the showing of the two clubs in the opening match of the season the Albions should win. The Services have strengthened up and hope to be in better form to-morrow. The Albions got off to a win last week.

All teams will be in better shape to-morrow after having got the opening games out of their system and within a couple of weeks they will all be settled into place for the long drive to the championship.

The Albions "A" team to-morrow will be as follows:

F. Jordan (captain), H. A. Ismay, E. Marshall, N. F. Pite, G. H. Walton, Capt. H. Baring, D. Hudson, P. Welch, V. G. Ley, W. B. Knight and T. Hoggarth.

The Albions "B" eleven which will meet the Five C's at Cranmore Road in a friendly match will be as follows:

H. Lethaby (captain), C. Norman, A. H. Gaiger, L. Backler, E. McConnan, C. L. Backler, T. Cooper, A. T. Eagle, R. M. Knight, M. Pearce and another.

The Five C's team to play Cowichan is as follows:

Comley, Payne, Eric Quainton, Booth, Bredin, Butterworth, Sutton, Allen, A. Lea, Ackroyd and Attwell; reserve, Merrix.

Uplands Ladies to Compete For Title

The draw was made last night for the qualifying round of the ladies' championship of the Uplands Golf Club to be played to-morrow. It is requested that as many of the competitors as possible will arrange to play their matches in the morning. The draw follows:

Mrs. Boyd and Miss N. F. Fraser.
Mrs. Birch and Mrs. W. G. Wilson.
Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Wilding.
Mrs. Hibberson and Mrs. Pocock.
Mrs. Geiger and Mrs. Foulis.
Mrs. Staden and Mrs. Barton.
Mrs. Hepburn and Mrs. Ellis.
Mrs. Macfarlane and Mrs. Sanders.
Mrs. Nickson and Miss Fowkes.
Miss Maxwell and Miss Mason.
Miss F. D. Fraser and Mrs. Price.
Mrs. Carr and Miss Trenchard.
Miss Wolfenden and Miss M. Young.
Miss K. Fraser and Miss Kinloch.

White Sox Profit By Error, Starting Rally and Winning

Cleveland Pitcher Drops Ball With Two Out in Ninth and Loses His Game

St. Louis Won From Detroit; Yankees Lose But Giants Win

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, May 2.—Chicago pounded Carl Mays and Jake May hard in the early innings and defeated Cincinnati 8 to 1 in the first game of the series here yesterday.

The extra base hitting of the Cubs was a feature.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnatti	1	8	2
Chicago	8	17	2

Batteries—Mays, May, Dibut and Hargrave; Aldridge and Hartnett.

DODGERS WALLOP PHILLIES

Brooklyn, May 2. — Brooklyn pounded four Philadelphia pitchers yesterday, winning 10 to 4. Stock led in the assault with three hits, making five in the two games he has played with the Dodgers. Grimes, although hit for ten, pitched airtight bal lin the pinches, not giving a base on balls. "Cy" Williams hit a homer.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	10	2
Brooklyn	10	16	3

Batteries — Carlson, Hamilton, Betts, Lewis and Henline, Wendel; Grime sand Taylor.

PIRATES BEAT CARDS

Pittsburg, May 2. — Pittsburg bunched hits in the third and sixth innings and won the opening game from St. Louis, 8 to 6, yesterday. A running catch by Maranville back of first base was a fielding feature.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	6	13	3
Pittsburg	8	12	1

Batteries — Haines, H. Bell and Gonzales; Kesemer and Jacobs.

GIANTS WIN EASILY

Boston, May 2.—New York batters hit Genewich freely in the fourth yesterday, made seven runs and defeated Boston, 9 to 1. Groh and Stengel had a heavy day at bat and Cooney's work in centre field was spectacular.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	9	12	1
Boston	1	8	0

Batteries — Dean and Snyder; Genewich, McNamara, Yeargon and O'Neil.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland, May 2.—With two out and none on, Pitcher Shaute dropped Burns' throw to get Collins in the first inning starting a rally which netted Chicago four runs. Cleveland never overcame the lead.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	13	15	2
Cleveland	7	12	2

Batteries — Blankenship, Connally and Schalk; Shaute, Morton, Smith, Lindsay and Myatt.

YANKEES ARE BEATEN

New York, May 2.—Washington broke the winning streak of New York Americans here yesterday, defeating them 3 to 2, after they had won eight straight games. Johnson pitched a strong game for Washington for six innings but Manager Harris took him out after Ward and Scott tripled with none out in the seventh.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	10	0
New York	2	9	0

Batteries—W. Johnson, Marberry and Ruel; Hoyt, Jones, Shawkey and Hofmann, Schang.

SOX TRIM ATHLETES

Philadelphia, May 2.—Boston drove Rommel from the mound and won the opener of the series from Philadelphia yesterday, 5 to 1. Hauser hit a homer, his third of the season.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	5	9	1
Philadelphia	1	3	0

Batteries—Quinn and O'Neill; Rommel, Baumgartner, Walberg and Bruggy.

TIGERS NOSED OUT

St. Louis, May 2.—Batting Whithill out of the box the Browns won from Detroit, yesterday, 8 to 7, in the first game of the series. Ken. Williams and Tobin both hit homers.

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	7	12	0
St. Louis	8	12	1

Batteries—Whithill, Johnson, Cole and Bassler, Woodall; Kolp; Wingard and Severoid.

COAST LEAGUE

Seattle, May 2.—Jim Bagby of Seattle with the aid of his teammates defeated Harry Hulvey in a pitchers' duel here yesterday, 2 to 1, in the Pacific Baseball League. Bagby allowed nearly twice as many hits as Hulvey, but kept them scattered.

	R.	H.	E.
Salt Lake	1	12	1
Seattle	2	7	0

Batteries—Hulvey and Cook; Bagby and Tobin.

SEALS COME THROUGH

San Francisco, May 2.—San Francisco won the third game of the series with Los Angeles yesterday, 3 to 2. Los Angeles' only hits and run came in the fourth inning, when Jacobs singled and Hood scored him with a home run into the left field bleachers. Shea walked seven and hit two but tightened in the pinches.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	2	2	1
San Francisco	3	11	1

Batteries—Meyers and Byler; Shea and Agnew.

BEAVERS DEFEAT SACS

Portland, Ore., May 2.—Portland landed hard on Chief Yellowhorse in the first four innings yesterday, while Rachac, for the Beavers, was effective in every inning but the sixth, and Portland won 6 to 2.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	2	6	0
Portland	6	11	0

Batteries — Yellowhorse, Canfield, Vinci and Schang; Rachac and Query.

OAKS WERE HELPLESS

Los Angeles, May 2.—Ken Fenner, former Sacramento pitcher, twirled Vernon to a 4-2 victory against Oakland here yesterday. The Oaks did their only scoring in the first inning and in the following eight frames Penner held them to five scattered hits.

	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	2	6	1
Vernon	4	9	2

Batteries—Kunz and Baker; Penner and D. Murphy.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Jersey City 11, Rochester 3.
Newark 1, Toronto 7.
Only two games.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee 2, Indianapolis 1.
Kansas City 6, Louisville 18.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Denver 10, Oklahoma City 5.
Only one game.

Aeroplane View of Great Stadium at Colombes Where Athletes of World Will Play This Year



Paris, May 2—This town expects to be jam up with tourists this summer, including many Americans, who have crossed the ocean confident that they will see the 500 athletes representing the United States carry off first place in the Eighth Olympiad which occurs this year in France.

Already every hotel in Paris is overbooked. The Olympiad committee is preparing a list of all boarding houses and private homes in and around Paris which will take in visitors.

Meantime, workmen are rushing forward the completion of the great stadium being built specially at Colombes, about six miles from Paris. It is there that the principal events of the Olympiad will take place.

The stadium itself will be surrounded by an Olympic village, which is growing up as if by magic. In this village will be housed the competitors from the various nations. In all about 5000 competitors are expected.

AMERICA EXPECTS TOUGH FIGHT

The Americans will have keener opposition this year than they had in 1920 in Antwerp, as Europe has had more time to recuperate from the exhaustion of the war and more money has been spent in developing teams worthy of the nations they will represent.

For instance, this year Great Britain expects to give the Americans the battle of their lives. She is sending 400 athletes. British citizens have raised $150,000 to pay the costs of training these men for the fray.

The Colombes stadium contains a running track 500 metres in circumference. It is eight metres broad. Inside there is a lawn 80 metres long on which will be played football. On either side of this lawn are the places where jumping contests and javelin, discus and hammer throwing contests will take place.

CAN HANDLE 100,000 SPORT FANS

The stadium will seat 60,000 persons. In the centre are 10,000 covered seats on each side. There are in addition places for 40,000 more spectators.

Chances are that even with this seating capacity tickets for the biggest events will be at a premium and the problem of giving everybody a fair shake is going to be serious.

The big athletic sports will take place in July from the 5th to the 13th. On the 5th there will take place the formal ceremony of the opening of these games with a procession of all the athletes. Then will take place some of the jumping events, the flat races, javelin, discus and hammer throwing, steeple racing and cross-country walks.

Richards Wants to Be Good Boy With Tennis Officials

After All Nasty Things He Said About Heads He Withdraws Resignation

New York, May 2.—Developments in the player-writer controversy between the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association and two of its most prominet players took an unexpected turn yesterday when Vincent Richards, youthful international star, withdrew his resignation as a member of the 1924 Davis Cup team. The Olympic player-writer rule, however, has barred him definitely from the Olympic team, he pointed out. The request for reconsideration of his resignation was granted by President George W. Wightman of the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

In his letter to Wightman, Richards said he had received assurances from executives of the association that he was eligible to represent the United States during 1924, and that if any question should arise as to his amateur standing during 1925 he would be given an opportuinty to present his side of the case before a decision is rendered.

"For this reason," the letter said, "and because I believe it will be for the good of the game, I have reconsidered my resignation and asked to withdraw it."

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

The ladies' eclectic competition of the Victoria Golf Club, which was closed on April 30, was won in "A" class by Miss Isabel Wilson with a gross 79 and net 66, and in "B" class by Mrs. Rickaby with a gross 83, net 57.

The regular ladies' monthly medal competition will be played on Tuesday, May 6.

DAVIS CUP MATCHES

Copenhagen, May 2.—The second round tie between the Danish and Hungarian lawn tennis teams in the Davis cup contest will be held here on May 16, 17 and 18. The Danish team captained by Nexe Larsen, is composed of Petersen, Ulrich, Worm and Thalbitzer.

Tour of Canada May Be Undertaken by Georges Carpentier

Quebec, May 2.—Georges Carpentier, former light heavyweight champion of the world, will be seen in action here this Summer, probably against Jack Reddick, it is reliably stated.

It is intimated that the date will be in the latter part of June or early in July. Carpentier is sail for America this week, where he will meet Tommy Gibbons. Following this he will tour Canada, probably under the management of Tom Duggan, Montreal sports writer.

Prominent Horse Cut Down and Eliminated

Louisville, Ky., May 2.—Battle Creek, W. R. Coe's Kentucky Derby candidate, has been eliminated as a starter in the classic. The son of Sweep, for which Coe recently paid Phil T. Chinn $40,000, was cut down when Volt jumped on him during the running of the Mount Sterling purse at Lexington yesterday. It was his first start of the year.

Tendons in his left hind leg were severed.

Japanese Tennis Stars Are Easily Beaten In East

Allen Behr Defeats Harada And Tilden White-washes Fukuda in Matches

Philadelphia, May 2.—Both of the Japanese Davis Cup players, Takio Harada and M. Fukuda, were eliminated yesterday in the fourth round of the middle states tennis tournament at the Germantown Cricket Club.

The defeat of Harada by Allen Behr of New York, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2, furnisfied the first upset of the tournament.

William T. Tilden, national champion, disposed of Fukuda, 6-0, 6-0.

Manuel Alonso, member of the Spanish Davis Cup team, defeated A. R. Chapin Jr., 7-5, 6-0, in the other feature match of the day.

In the semi-finals to-day Tilden will meet Carl Fischer, intercollegiate champion, and Behr will play Alonso. Fischer won his fourth round match from Wallace Johnson, Philadelphia, by default.

NO FIST CAN DENT THIS BEAN WHICH IS HARDEST IN THE RING



HENRI HEBRANS

MONS. HENRI HEBRANS, champion featherweight of Belgium, is uniquely distinguished. As fighters go Hebrans is nothing to cable the late Marquis of Queensberry about, granted that a cable would reach the late marquis.

Hebrans' distinction lies in the fact that he has the hardest head in all Europe. Eugene Criqui broke his hand on Hebrans' noodle and had to retire. A few weeks later Edouard Mascart cracked Hebrans on the bean with a left swing, broke three fingers at the first knuckles and was rendered hors de combat for two months.

Now nobody wants to fight Hebrans. Whipping him is one thing, keeping out of the hospital is another.

Carpentier Reveals New Style in Quick Knockout of Townley

Vienna, May 2.—Georges Carentier's share of the purse for his fight with Arthur Townley, British light heavyweight, here yesterday was being held up to-day pending a decision by the Vienna Boxing Association, regarding the fairness of the blow with which Townley was knocked out in the second round.

Expert followers of the fistic game seated at the ringside agreed with the referee that the fight was ended by a blow on the solar plexus and that it was one of the cleanest knockouts on record. To some of the unitiated, however, it appeared low. Withholding of the purse may delay Carpentier's departure from Havre for the United States tomorrow to meet Tom Gibbons.

Townley was badly punished by the former world's champion, being floored several times and the end came after four and a half minutes of fighting. Carpentier, contraray to his usual style, fought at close quarters and some of his most effective blows were delivered during the the fierce infighting. Townley was game but helpless against the Frenchman's ring craft.

The 15,000 persons who witnessed the fight included numerous women.

To Stage Opening Games of Indoor League To-morrow

Two Ball Games Scheduled at Central Park; Usual Opening Ceremonies

To-morrow afternoon the Central Park will be the scene of action when the Indoor Baseball League will stage its opening game. The first game will be called at 2.30 o'clock with the Navy and Esquimalt teams providing the excitment. At 4 o'clock the Civil Service and the Y.M.C.A. will clash. J. B. Clearihue, M.P.P., will chuck the first apple across the plate with Reeve Lockeley behind the bat, while the Rev. Clem Davies will wield the first bat.

With nine teams competing for the Clearihue Challenge Cup it is expected that competition will be exceedingly keen this year. Twenty-two games will be played, each team having to meet the other twice. The schedule will be divided into two parts with winner of the first half meeting the winner of the second half for the city championship.

The first half of the schedule of the league is as follows:

Monday, May 5—Prior's at Hillcrests, 6.45 p.m.; Tillicums at Garrison, 6.45 p.m.

Friday, May 9.—Hillcrests at Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., 6.45 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. at Garrison, 6.45 p.m.; Tillicums at Esquimalt, 6.45 p.m.; Civil Service at Navy, 6.45 p.m.; Prior's, a bye.

Monday, May 12—Navy at Hillcrests, Tillicums at Y.M.C.A., Prior's at Esquimalt, Garrison, a bye.

Friday, May 16—Civil Service at Prior's, Y.M.C.A. at Fifth Regiment, C.G.A.; Hillcrests at Garrison, Tillicums, at Navy, Esquimalt, a bye.

Monday, May 19—Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., at Esquimalt, Garrison at Civil Service, Prior's at Y.M.C.A., Tillicums at Hillcrests, Navy, a bye.

Friday, May 23—Tillicums at Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., Esquimalt at Garrison, Navy at Prior's Y.M.C.A. at Hillcrests, Civil Service, a bye.

Monday, May 26—Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., at Prior's, Esquimalt at Hillcrests, Nacy at Garrison, Tillicums at Civil Service, Y.M.C.A., a bye.

Friday, May 30—Hillcrests at Civil Service, Y.M.C.A. at Esquimalt, Fifth Regiment at Navy, Prior's at Garrison, Tillicums, a bye.

Monday, June 2—Civil Service at Esquimalt, Fifth Regiment at Garrison, Prior's at Tillicums, Navy at Y.M.C.A., Hillcrests, a bye.

The home team is the last mentioned.

How They Stand

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	9	5	.643
New York	9	5	.643
Chicago	8	6	.571
Philadelphia	6	6	.500
Washington	6	8	.429
Boston	5	7	.417
Cleveland	5	7	.417
St. Louis	5	9	.357

Results

St. Louis 8 Detroit 7.
Washington 3, New York 2.
Chicago 13, Cleveland 7.
Boston 5, Philadelphia 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	10	2	.825
Chicago	10	6	.625
Cincinnati	8	6	.571
Brooklyn	6	7	.562
Pittsburgh	6	8	.429
Boston	4	6	.400
St. Louis	5	9	.357
Philadelphia	2	7	.222

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	15	9	.625
Vernon	15	9	.625
Salt Lake	13	10	.565
Los Angeles	12	12	.500
Oakland	11	13	.458
Portland	11	13	.458
Seattle	9	14	.391
Sacramento	9	15	.375

PITCHER SOLD

Los Angeles, May 1.—Arnold Grandall, southpaw pitcher of the Los Angeles club and brother of Otis Grandall, Angel hurler, has been sold outright to the Lincoln club of the Western League, it was announced here to-day by Oscar Reichow, business manager of the Angels.

Looking Things Over

At the present writing, Mr. Thomas Gibbons, the Irish settlement of St. Paul, is not inclined to take any stock in the popular theory that the world will beat a track to the workshop of skilled mechanics who deal in superior makes of mousetraps.

Less than a year ago Mr. Gibbons did something no other knuckle genius had ever been able to do; he fought fifteen rounds against Dempsey the Killer without pasing once to study intimately the texture of the canvas covering the Montana ring.

Not only did Mr. Gibbons elude the Killer's knockout needle, but he weaved his way through the full test without suffering a single knockdown. Up to that time a Dempsey opponent who lasted longer than a set of morals in Greenwich Village was looked upon as a cross between a superman and a pair of brass suspenders.

Mr. Gibbons, on the other collection of digits, is being looked upon merely as something to keep away from. It may be true that he made a name for himself, but, as Shakespeare said, you can't keep on buying liver and onions and shoes for the kids with a name.

As Dempsey's foremost challenger, Mr. Gibbons, appears to be getting nowhere with great speed. Rickard had him matched and then unmatched him. Carpentier was going to battle him in July, but changed his gorgeous mind. Senor Firpo tilts a Castilian eyebrow and inquires, "Who is this Gibbons person?"

Now, what's the low-down, the sub-cellar slant on Mr. Gibbons? Why don't the promoters fall all over their bunions trying to match him? Next to Dempsey he's the hot shot of the heavyweights, and this takes in Wills, Renault and all the rest. Yet Gibbons is far away from the big money.

The answer is that Mr. Gibbons does not deal lavishly in the hokum of pressagentry. He hides his left hook under a water bucket. He seems to think that if he gets out and does his work that is sufficient. And maybe it is—up to a point.

The sport bug is a queer insect. Efficiency unaccompanied by color leaves him cold. But give him the old hip-hip-hurrah bunk, let him hear the drums roll and the cymbals crash, steam him up with mystery and heroic, and he'll fall for anything, from a trained flea hurdle race to a peroxide blond.

You realize that Mr. Gibbons lacks color when you discover after all these years that he has no fighting name. You read of Dempsey the Killer, Firpo the Wild Bull and Wills the Brown Panther. . . . But when you read of the St. Paul man he is just Tommy Gibbons.

Charley Paddock, "the fastest human that ever lived," makes golf his recreation. Paddock is hardly a Hagen in effectiveness, but the game knows no greater enthusiast than the California sprinter.

Sarazen Gets Chance To Show Form To-day

New York, May 2.—Derby material will get another test to-day when Sarazen, unbeaten Vanderbilt colt and favorite with St. James and Wise Counsellor for the Kentucky Classic, goes to the post for the first time as a three-year-old under top weight of 115 pounds in the Lynnbrook handicap of six furlongs at the Jamaica track.

Sarazen started ten times as a two-year-old, earned $37,330 and won all his races with commanding ease.

C.P.R. and Tillicum Ball Teams to Clash In a Practice Game

On Sunday morning at the Royal Athletic Park the first amateur ball game of the season will be staged when the C.P.R., last year's champions, and the Tillicums, the new entry in the league, face one another.

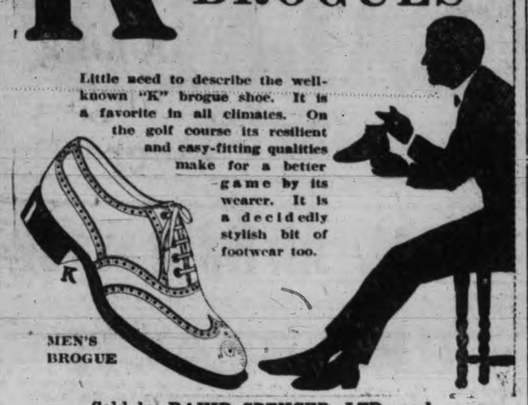
Last year's winners are now at full strength and will have their regulars on the diamond when they stack up against the Tillicums. "Hailey" Jackson will hold down the initial sack, with "Kim" Campbell at second; while Harry Copas and Art Minnis will be at short and third respectively. Roy Copas will be chasing the high ones in left field with Richdale in centre and Bill More in right.

The Tillicum team has not yet been picked but a practice will be held at the Central Park this evening at 6.30 o'clock, and a nine will be selected. The new team has lined up a formidable gang of tossers who will make the remaining teams step lively. Their team for Sunday morning's game will be picked from the following players: Russell Oatman, Art. Balcom, Rutledge, Nachtrieb, Bud Hocking, "Heinie" Curtis, Jack Curtis, Jim Eakitt, Morley, Darkis, Howe, Tommy Kay, Bert Nex, Sallaway and O'Meara.

San Pedro, Cal., May 2.—Jimmy Hackley, Los Angeles lightweight, won the decision over Billy Young of Vancouver in a four-round bout last night. Sailor Hector, all-navy middleweight champion, fought a four-round draw with Mickey Rockson of Los Angeles.

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PROVINCIALS HOLD MEETING AT DUNCAN

General McRae Appears For Kenneth Duncan, M.P.P.

Special to The Times

Duncan, May 1.—The Opera House Duncan, was packed to the doors on the occasion of the Provincial Party meeting on Wednesday. General McRae was the speaker for the evening, also K. F. Duncan, M.P.P., and (in the absence through illness of Sir Charles Tupper), D. S. Tait of Victoria.

Capt. Douglas Groves occupied the chair.

Mr. Duncan said Partyism had been carried to a point that the power which "is in that Party has become abused. "They are dominated by the caucus," he said.

"The Provincial Party is directed against the abuse of Government as illustrated in our Provincial House." If elected to power they would not be defeated except by a vote of no confidence. Although a member of a Party, Mr. Duncan said he would still continue to follow an independent course, and be left free to follow his own judgment.

Mr. Tait complimented the meeting on their choice of Mr. Duncan as the candidate, stating that during his term as Member he had maintained his stalwart, firm and gallant independence throughout. He spoke at length on the doings of the Royal Commission on the P.G.E.

He alleged the gross mismanagement of the whole affair of the P.G.E. contracts, the enormous profits made by contractors at the expense of the taxpayers, and read the "Bell" affidavit which was not admitted as evidence at the Commission.

General A. D. McRae held his audience for nearly two hours. He told how the Provincial Party had grown from a small beginning, till now it had some 30,000 pledged electors in British Columbia, more support than both of the old parties could claim. He touched on the subject of campaign funds. One of the curses of the country was the providing of campaign funds by public contractors, he said. The Provincial Party had had a constructive convention and copies of their intentions and platform could be obtained, and he asked people to read them over seriously and see whether they approved. "One of the great issues is taxation, excessive taxation is crushing the life of British Columbia and it must be removed," he asserted. "To realise the extreme difficulties which agriculture has to contend with, you must know something about the northern districts," he said, "and we must have an economic, efficient administration of our public affairs." He mentioned Hon T. D. Pattullo's Colonization Scheme, but bringing more farmers in under the present situation is not going to solve the problem. What is the use of bringing in more men to farm, he said, when those at present here "cannot make money on the land."

He spoke of the two great assets of the Province, timber and mines, and caused much laughter by saying that Mr. Bowser had claimed that McRae had gone to California to get all the timber in British Columbia for his own interests, whereas he really had gone on a hunting trip to shoot geese, and many people thought he should have stayed at home and shot them.

General McRae explained that his own position is President of the Provincial Party. Bowser and Oliver are asking the electors to support them personally, but the question of Leadership of the Provincial Party would be left to the men representing the party in the next House; they would say who their leader is to be, and if they find they are mistaken in the man elected for leadership, they can kick him out.

He spoke at length on the P.G.E. Enquiry by the Royal Commission, giving a business man's views on the subject.

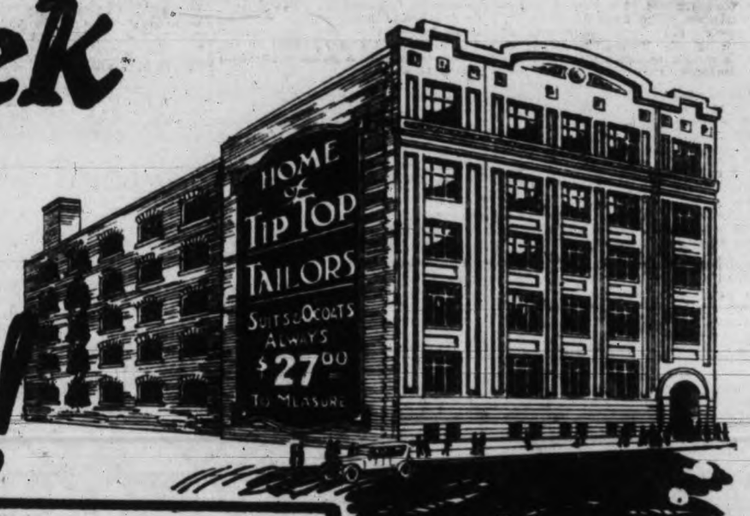
Many questions were put by Mr. Trevor Keene, Mr. McKinnon and others to all the speakers, and the meeting ended with the singing of the National Anthem.

MAY DAY WAS QUIETLY CELEBRATED IN THIS COUNTRY

Ottawa, May 2.—May Day was quietly celebrated throughout Eastern Canadian cities yesterday with orderly parades and only one strike, that of union plasterers in Toronto, who are asking $1.40 an hour.

In Glace Bay, N.S. May Day paraders carried a red banner in the front rank of their procession. On an order of the chief of police, however, this banner was given a less prominent position and a white one substituted in front.

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$300.00 Encyclopedia Britannica $175.00
$1.00 Typewriter Ribbon ..... 40¢
$8.00 and $9.00 Copying Presses $2.50
$3.50 Copying Books, $2.00

10c Memo Books ..... 5¢
25c Invoice Forms, 100, 15¢
$1.50 Shannon's Files, $1.00
$1.00 Second Sheets, 500 ..... 50¢
40c Linen Cloth Tablets, 25¢
$2.00 Carbon Sheets, $1.00
$3.50 Carbon Sheets, $1.75
75c Highland Linen Papetries ..... 50¢
$1.50 Shannon Files, $1.00
$60.00 Set "Classics" (Pub. Price) $20.00
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LADYSMITH MAN SENT FOR TRIAL

Preparations Under Way For Celebration of Hospital Day

Ladysmith, May 2.—Oscar Salonen of this city was charged with assault upon Vino Matson also of this city before Magistrate Callin yesterday and was committed for trial and taken to Nanaimo this morning. He was released on $1,000 bail and comes up for trial next Tuesday.

Great preparations are being made by the hospital board for their annual Hospital Day to be held Saturday, May 10. Prizes are being awarded for the best babies born in the hospital, the judges are doctors. The Ladysmith Extension Band have been asked to attend, various artists have offered their services, and other novel forms of amusement will be provided. The hospital staff are serving tea to their guests and altogether a very enjoyable day is anticipated.

Rev. F. L. Stephenson is in Victoria on business connected with his parish.

Last evening at 7.30 o'clock a committee formed from the business men of this city met the grounds committee of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society to discuss ways and means of making the necessary repairs to the football grounds here to be in a position to compete with Nanaimo and other towns in the matter of having suitable grounds for important football matches.

AT THE THEATRES

"Private Secretary" Continues to Draw at Playhouse

Reginald Hincks undoubtedly had a brain wave when he decided to put on "The Private Secretary" as this wonderfu farce had proved one of the greatest drawing cards since the commencement of the present run of these artists. Brimful or real hearty laughs this classic of the stage goes on down the ages dispensing joy to millions yearly as it can be truly said that for thirty-five years there has not been a solitary evening when somewhere or other in the English speaking world some company is not producing the "Private Secretary."

"Pawn Ticket 210" is a charming picture was a real heart story to it and has made a host of friends for itself during its brief run at the Playhouse this week.

AT THE THEATRES

Playhouse—"The Private Secretary."
Royal—"The Song of Love."
Dominion—"Girl Shy."
Columbia—"North of the Yukon."
Capitol—"Under the Red Robe."

East and West Meet in Biskra Oasis of Desert

The oasis of Biskra, on the edge of the Sahara desert, a sizable tourist town, has been reproduced for Norma Talmadge's latest photoplay, "The Song of Love," a First National attraction appearing at the Royal Victoria Theatre again today.

The market square, with its milling camels and burros and its arcades filled with trafficking merchants; its street of the Ouled Nail dancers; the cafe where sheiks while away the hours playing dominoes and baccarat; the cafe's chantants, where the dancing girls writhe to the strains of blind musicians perched up on shelves near the cafe ceilings—all have been reproduced in Norma's latest photoplay.

Norma brought the oasis strictly up to date by introducing automobiles into the Sahara. As a matter of fact, automobiles now make the trip from Algeria to Biskra on regular schedules. Since the war a railroad has been built from Biskra to Toggourt, many miles further into the Sahara.

It is between Toggourt and Biskra that the dramatic action of the picture takes place. The work of bringing Biskra to Hollywood was made possible from the thousands of photographs which Producer Joseph M. Schenk secured while in Algeria two years ago.

Norma has also visited the Sahara and was of valuable assistance to art director Stephen Goosson, who designed the Biskra buildings.

Harold Lloyd in "Girl Shy" at Dominion

Harold Lloyd has the reputation in Hollywood of establishing in pictures more notable characters than any other star, and in his latest feature Pathecomedy, "Girl Shy," he will not lose this reputation, for he has made another great "find" in Richard Daniels, who portrays his aged uncle in the fun film.

Daniels is the father of Mickey Daniels, the freckle faced youngster in Hal Roach's "Our Gang" Pathecomedies, but until he was taken in by Lloyd, he had only participated in a few comedies on the Roach lot.

In "Girl Shy,' which is showing at the Dominion Theatre this week, Lloyd has given Daniels a part that will establish him as strongly as "Grandma's Boy" did the late Anna Townsend.

Daniels had done some trouping in the tank towns of the Middle West, but untill he came to Hollywood to make his son Mickey a nationally known figure, he had no motion picture experience.

Lloyd gave him a bit to play in "Dr. Jack," and when it came time to cast "Girl Shy," he could see no other actor in the role of the small town tailor except the elder Daniels. His part is very similar to that of Mrs. Townsend in "Grandma's Boy," and he fulfills it in the same appealing manner, helping to win a lot of sympathy for the character portrayed by Lloyd.

"Girl Shy" is reported, by all those who have had the pleasure of seeing it, to be a worthy successor to his last hit, "Why Worry?" and like its predecessor, it was directed by Fred Newmeyer and Sam Taylor from a story by Taylor, Tommy Gray, Tim Whelan and Ted Wilde.

Capitol Film Had Director of Big Successes

From director of the Dartmouth College Mandolin Club to the director of one of the most gorgeous, massive and magnificent photoplays ever filmed, is the span bridged in the last ten years by Alan Crosland, the man behind the megaphone for "Under the Red Robe," the $1,500,000 motion picture which is at the Capitol Theatre this week.

Alan Crosland came to his screen crucible well prepared. On graduation from Dartmouth he became a newspaperman. Hearing that Annie Russell was producing "Much Ado About Nothing," he routed out a young band of musicians from his mandolin days and appeared at a rehearsal with a repertoire of old English numbers and a troupe of musicians ready to go to work. They obtained the job and for three seasons Crosland was the star's manager.

Later he became casting director with the old Edison Film Company. One day an extra director was needed. Crosland got the assignment and demonstrated quickly an ability to direct pictures. Since then he has directed such stars as Shirley Mason, Holbrook Blinn, Nance O'Neil, Charlotte Walker, H. B. Warner, Elsie Ferguson, Alice Brady, Elaine Hammerstein, Conway Tearle, Constance Binney, Irene Castle, Lionel Barrymore and Seena Owen. His previous big picture for Cosmopolitan was "Enemies of Women."

During the war Crosland joined the cinematographic section of the U. S. Signal Corps. In his assignment to film a photographic history of the A. E. F. activities for the War Library he flew far in aero and hydroplanes, getting much valuable data.

Robert B. Mantell, John Charles Thomas and Alma Reubens are featured in "Under the Red Robe."

Many Thrills in "Flowing Gold" Coming to Royal

If there is one thing of which the great Canadian public cannot get enough it is stories of adventure and romance with a pair of lovers fighting their way through many obstacles and dangers to the ultimate "and they lived happily ever after." From the obscure clerk to the university president all relish tales that stir our emotions and make our blood run faster as we unconsciously take upon us the identity of the characters entertaining us.

Such stories have had the greatest success of all when transferred to the screen, for that is the greatest medium for visualizing the action conceived by the author. The figments of imagination take on life and become real persons to us.

That is one of the reasons why "Flowing Gold," a screen version of Rex Beach's latest novel, which is the attraction at the Royal Theatre all next week, commencing Monday, is meeting with such huge success in the motion picture theatres of the country. This First National picture, which was produced by Richard Walton Tully and directed by Joe De Grasse, is an example of how the spell of a great story can be intensified on the screen.

All of this great author's novels have been noted for their thrilling situations and episodes, but none more so than "Flowing Gold." Beach has chosen the oil fields as the locale of this tale of love and adventure, and into it he has injected a continuous series of thrills that will increase his following tremendously.

FIRE GUTS HOUSE IN OWNER'S ABSENCE

Four-roomed House Wrecked By Blaze Yesterday Afternoon

While a puppy, from its kennel in the yard, barked persistently in an effort to attract attention, fire broke out in a four-roomed bungalow at 3147 Harriet Road yesterday at 3.07 p.m. and gutted the premises in the absence of the occupants.

When the fire, which had been gathering force inside, broke through to the outside of the dwelling the flames were seen and alarms rung in. The Victoria and Saanich fire apparatus attended but the fire had secured too firm a hold on the dwelling to be readily checked. When controlled finally the flames had gutted the interior of the bungalow.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton, the occupants, had stepped out of the house an hour before, Mr. Creighton to return to work and his wife and baby to go for a stroll. In their absence fire broke out from an unknown source.

Author of Film at Columbia Was Inspired by Yukon

It was no common accident that enflamed the imagination of Jules Furthman to the extent of causing him to write one of the most amazin northern yarns ever flimed.

During the first screening of "North of the Yukon," showing at the Columbia today, which was the picturization of Mr. Furthman's most famous story, he was pressed by the private audience for its origin. Particularly interested was Tom Mix, the hero of the film play.

With admirable modesty, Mr. Furthman related the thread from which he wove his tale. "Summer had come," he said, "and the usual wanderlust fever, hitting me regularly every year, became irresistibly urgent." And the gifted author narrated in charming prose the trip he made to the Yukon region.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

MAIL FOR THE FLEET

To the Editor:—In connection with the British fleet now cruising around the world, the public are advised that mail addressed to anyone with the fleet, if mailed not later than 4 p.m. on May 7, will reach Fiji before the ships leave that point.

H. F. BISHOP,
Postmaster.

Victoria, B.C., May 1, 1924.

HE WANTS MORLEY

To the Editor:—In your contemporary this morning I observe that a contributor referring to the approaching provincial election, states that he is in a quandary as to what to do with his vote, and that there are thousands in the city and Province in the same position.

As I am also experiencing some uncertainty I thought that perhaps some of your readers might be able to aid me in my perplexing position. It is obvious that, so far as the various political parties are concerned, the selected candidates will not be chosen by virtue of their ability or qualifications, and the principal factor in their nominations will be their popularity and ability to obtain the support of certain returned soldiers, religious and other organizations. In all of the three political parties the vote getting feature is of paramount importance, and whether the destiny of our Province is to be in the hands of incompetent persons is of secondary consideration to the matter of getting a popular partizan elected to office.

The electors of this Province are thoroughly disgusted with the scheming party politician and the resulting maladministration, that has characterized the political history of British Columbia, and I venture to say that regardless of the efforts of the various parties to have their representatives returned, it will be found that at the coming election these independent citizens who are not possessed of political past histories and who have at least some measure of ability will be elected in preference to the party candidate.

I believe that every effort should be made to induce four good independent citizens to come forward, and I think that if the able ex-mayor of the City of Victoria, A. J. Morley, were induced to head the list of independents, other men of his calibre might be prevailed upon to come forward.

INDEPENDENT.

Victoria, B.C., May 1, 1924.

FOUR STATED VIEWS ON THE CHURCH BILL

Rev. Dr. Pidgeon Among Those Who Spoke For Union Before Commons Committee

Ottawa, May 2.—"The highest court of appeal for any man in matters ecclesiastical is the highest authority in his own church.

This principle was laid down by Rev. Dr. Leslie Pidgeon of Winnipeg, the last speaker for the unionists yesterday before the Private Bills Committee of the House of Commons in the hearing on the Church Union Bill.

That principle, he affirmed, had been claimed in the Old Country; it had been conceded in the United States and was there the law of the land; it had been claimed in Canada as far back as 1844 by the Synod of the Church of Scotland in Canada.

Dr. Pidgeon paid special attention to the demand for another vote of the Presbyterian Church members on the present bill. He maintained that under the constitution of the Presbyterian Church the union question could not properly be reopened. Moreover, he stated, no official demand had been made for another vote in the proceedings of the General Assembly.

FOUR SPOKESMEN

Yesterday was given up to statements by advocates of the bill. Four spokesmen were heard, including G. W. Mason, K.C., and Aime Geoffrion, K.C., on legal aspects of the bill, while Principal Oliver of Saskatchewan University set the union situation in the West before the committee, and Dr. Pidgeon devoted himself chiefly to the regularity of the procedure in the Presbyterian Church.

All the witnesses were insistently cross-examined by members of the committee who were opposed to the bill, and the accuracy of the statement made as to the existence of 1,265 union charges with 3,000 preaching places was definitely challenged by William Duff, M.P. for Lunenburg.

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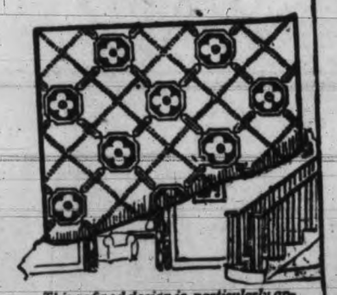
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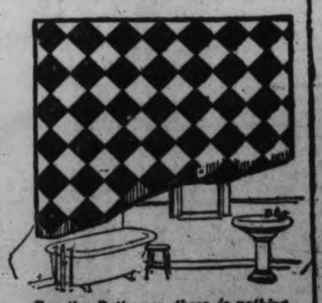
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Frederick Niven's Great Glasgow Novel

"Justice of the Peace," Now Published for the First Time in America, Is a Masterpiece of Fiction by a Scottish Writer Who Has Now Made His Home in British Columbia.

By Professor W. T. ALLISON

We sometimes talk about the great Canadian novel and wonder when it will appear. Perhaps the time is not ripe for its appearing, but I am strongly of the opinion that there is at least one writer in this country who has three essentials necessary to such a performance—distinction of style, skill in character portrayal and structural power. He may lack a wide knowledge of Canadian life, for it is not many years since he transplanted himself from Scotland to British Columbia, but one of these years I am hoping that he will produce a full-length novel which will set forth the mingled romance and realism of life in the Canadian west. I pin my hopes upon him more than upon any maker of fiction now among us. The name, you ask? Here it is—Frederick Niven, some time of Glasgow, now of Nelson, B.C. To be a great novelist a man must have something more than a mastery of the technique of the story-teller's art; he must have a variegated experience, so that he sees life steadily and sees it whole. This is true of Mr. Niven and his ability to translate personal experience and wide observation into a story is amply demonstrated in his novel, "Justice of the Peace," first published in London ten years ago and now republished in New York by Boni & Liveright and introduced most enthusiastically by Hugh Walpole and Christopher Morley.

MR. NIVEN'S PERSONAL APPEARANCE

Before I register my own impressions of this great story of Glasgow life, I wish to give my readers some facts about Mr. Niven's personality. I met him one fine Autumn day at a stampede in the Windermere Valley, B.C. He and his wife were attending the opening of the replica of the old fort erected in memory of David Thompson, the explorer of the Kootenay country. Mr. Niven is a friendly soul, a man's man I should say. He is tall, awkward-looking, and even his best friends would not call him handsome; a Scottish model of Abraham Lincoln, without beard but plus heavy eye-glasses. He wears his clothes "cynically loose" and smokes infinite tobacco, altogether a quiet, observant person who could make friends with any kind of human being and at the same time rob him of local color and soul stuff for fiction uses.

HIS VARIEGATED CAREER

For the last three years Mr. Niven has been enjoying himself by writing serials for American magazines, action stories of B.C. mining life. I can imagine that he is perfectly happy in his study of such types of character as he finds in the Rockies. But he has studied men in various lands, for he has led a roving life. Christopher Morley quotes Mr. Niven's own semi-humorous account of his life from a letter written in 1922, and it is so interesting that I give part of it here: "I was born 44 years ago in Valparaiso, Chili. I was nominally educated at Hutcheson's Grammar School, Glasgow, after a voyage round the Horn in a sailing ship, that I recall with more delight than any of the class rooms. Then as for what I know of art students: I was at the Glasgow School of Art almost every evening of every term for two years. I came west in my teens, and went back to Scotland and wrote about a dozen sketches of western life which were taken at first offer by the Glasgow Weekly Herald. Pall Mall Magazine saw one of them and asked for a story, and in my excitement I wrote a poor one, which came back. So I put the excitement away and later they had one or two. Then I went into journalism in Scotland as all sorts of things on a big newspaper affair. Assistant story editor, special article writer and so forth. I used to write some serials on staff and once, writing in the same room with my chief, who was similarly employed, I laid down my pen. "Finished?" he asked. I told him I was almost finished, just thinking out the curtain; and rather thought I would have to have it just at the moment when there was a flash of steel. He grinned and said he thought he wanted that more than I could. We were writing for the same paper and so could not have two flashes of steel curtains. We tossed for it and I won, and then magnanimously surrendered the flash of steel to him, and he came round to my side of the table and looked at my paragraphs and thought he really did need it more, and helped me to another curtain.

HE DESCENDS UPON LONDON

"Then I went to London to edit a paper of the same sort, but better, and in my spare time to write essays and poems that appeared in Nation and Daily News, and to write a novel. When I sold it for . . . O dear! O dear! . . . draw a veil . . . I left Fleet Street and went down to Devon over Hartland Head. Then I got married and told my wife about British Columbia till we both got so that we had to go and look at it. Where the money came from I forget. I know that after I returned to London I once went out with her to see if an article I had sent out to some paper had appeared, and on the way to the news stand said: 'Oh, by the way, have you got the penny?' I think it was on the sale of some serial rights we came to the West. And then we looked forward to selling another and get back again. Now I think we will make the West our home and visit the other way when we sell a serial. But it does not seem so urgently necessary to go to London, as it seems over there to see the long grey rolls of the foothills and raise the Rockies and without any silly tosh smell them. Sage and balsam are great.

"My grandfather was William Waterston Niven, printer in Glasgow along with his father, and later head librarian of the Glasgow Public Library. I took a spell of that, too, loving catalogues as well as books, had two years of it in Glasgow. Before going in for journalism I dipped into the second-hand book life in Edinburgh. At Irvine, the old home town that I picture in 'A Tale that is told,' my other grandfather was Baptist minister. My father was a sewed-muslin manufacturer in Glasgow, but later went to Valparaiso. My mother was born in Calcutta, for her father had gone out to India in connection with the Baptist Missionary Society to set up a printing press at Serampore. Print seems to have been in the family on both sides.

"I should have said that at the School of Art in Glasgow I learnt a tremendous lot from the chief there who, if he was not a great artist, was a great teacher, Frances H. Newbery. 'I am not here to put art into you,' he used to say, 'but to bring it out if it is there to be brought out.' But he is in 'Justice of the Peace.' My period was the period just after Lavery and Guthrie and Harrington Mann and Walton had ceased to be students and were our idols. I have here a photograph of Harrington Mann on my mantelpiece—souvenir of the ecstatic interests in the visible world of these years, and I feel just the same boy still."

EBENEZER MOIR, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

We gather from this tabloid autobiography that Mr. Niven was brought up in Glasgow, had family knowledge of the manufacturing business of that city, studied in the art school there, explored the second-hand book stores, and after an odyssey across the seas, recorded his observations and adventures in a series of newspaper articles, then took a long course in newspaperdom, and finally became a full-fledged purveyor of fiction, a professional author. Now in the "Justice of the Peace" he draws upon this store of experience, at least as far as the commerical and art life of Glasgow are concerned. Like George Eliot's "Mill on the Floss," this novel is first of all a reproduction of scenes with which the author was familiar in his youth and in the second place it is a study in psychology. We see the characters developing and we marvel at Mr. Niven's skill in analysing motives and in revealing the springs of action. The story turns on two opposing forces—the determination of Martin Moir, second son of Ebenezer Moir, a Glasgow manufacturer of shirtings, flannelettes and winceys, to break away from his father's business in order to develop his talent for drawing, and the opposition of his mother to this ambition and, indeed, her unnatural behavior to him in trying to thwart all his undertakings. Ebenezer Moir, a stern but just man, tries to keep the peace between wife and son, does his best to reconcile their conflicting characters and interests, and in the end achieves the almost impossible feat of retainingthe love of both. Ebenezer is a petty magistrate in his section of the city, sits on the bench occasionally, even tries cases in his office but the title for the novel has a deeper meaning, for he is really a justice of the peace in his own family. In many respects Ebenezer Moir reminds me of Thomas Stevenson, the much-tried but sane, kind hearted, generous father of the artistic Robert Louis. He is a character of the strongest build, forbearing and even tender-hearted, and Mr. Niven may well be proud of him. In the whole range of Scottish fiction, from Sir Walter Scott to John Buchan, there is not a more faithfully drawn, more lifelike or more admirable son of Caledonia. It is well worth while to read this novel just to make the acquaintance of this sterling character.

A MOTHER WITH A SUPPRESSED COMPLEX

As we pass from chapter to chapter of this story, we become more and more impatient with the injustice which Mrs. Moir shows to her talented son. She tries to poison the father's mind against the boy, resorts to the smallest and meanest acts of persecution, drives the youth away from home by her spitefulness and, after he becomes a famous artist, does her best to annoy him, spurns his repeated attempts at reconciliation, and finally caps the climax of unmotherly conduct by insulting himself and his wife by writing a letter to a newspaper in which she casts opprobrium upon the latter's character. In reading this story, following this domestic tragedy from step to step, I kept constantly saying to myself, 'No flesh and blood mother could ever act as this woman is doing; Mr. Niven is certainly outraging nature in this character.' But when near the close of the story, the reader will agree, as I did, that it is logically explained. Mrs. Moir was not really responsible for this line of conduct; she was suffering from a suppressed complex caused by passionate jealousy previous to Martin's birth. If Ebenezer had been well up in psychology, he would have taken his wife to a practitioner of psycho-therapy, who would have probed the unfortunate woman's subconscious mind, fished up the root of the trouble and thus would have cleansed her mind of her scunner against an inoffensive boy who looked for mother love and received instead rabid disapproval and senseless dislike.

FROM WAREHOUSE TO STUDIO

The real hero of this novel, at least so it seems to me, is Ebenezer Moir, caught between two fires, who tries to be loyal to both wife and son, who manfully wrestles with a terrible problem which rends his heart, but younger readers will follow with the keenest interest the romantic career of Martin, the artistic son. Some of the best chapters in this book, and assuredly the most amusing ones, are those near the beginning which describe the routine and characters in a Glasgow dry goods warehouse. The gifted boy trying to learn the business in order to please his father but loafing at restaurants and book shops when he is sent out on errands, and "skitching" the other clerks in the warehouse, Charlie and other hands who try to teach him to stack webs of cloth, but all in vain; other characters in the office and on the various floors who reveal their oddities and humors day by day; above all the conversations in Ebenezer's office between himself and his employees and his son; all these are done to the life and make us conversant with the most interesting section of Glasgow's commercial activities. Later on when Mr. Moir gives Martin permission to attend the art school, we are initiated into a completely different world. Yet, here again, the character sketches of teachers and art students are so vivid that we realize the author is again drawing from life. Many a novelist has tried his hand at this but here is the real thing. Even when Martin returns from long study in Paris to paint pictures of Glasgow life and when he falls in love with a young lady who is forced by her poverty to become a model, the love affair which ensues is described with such naturalness and charm that it rises above the conventional treatment that we find in stories about artists and takes on a hue of real life. I have seldom read a love story of such great depth and power. And through it all we have the atmosphere of a great city. I should think that Glasgow people would derive tremendous enjoyment from the local color which Mr. Niven has managed to capture in these pages. On this topic Mr. Hugh Walpole, a distinguished fellow craftsman, says, "I believe that there is no other novel in the English language in which Glasgow is so marvellously rendered. The close streets, the smoky air, the sky thick with moving cloud, the tea shops with their surging customers, the strange mixed whirl of Art and Presbyterianism, the little pictures of Scottish country life, all these things composed into one beautiful whole." This is high praise, but not at all extravagant. "Justice of the Peace" is, in my opinion, a great novel, and I rejoice that its author has taken up his permanent residence in Canada. It is to be hoped that he will do for Vancouver or some other Canadian city what he has done for Glasgow.

STEPHEN LEACOCK

THE RESTORATION OF WHISKERS

Fibre of Our People Being Destroyed at the Root by Clean Shaving—Launching of Great National Movement to Rewhisker the Citizenry

There comes a time in the life of every people when it is the duty of the patriotic citizen to speak out what is in his mind. Such a time is now. The growth of the clean shaving habit in this country is becoming a serious national menace. The loss of dignity and prestige, the decline of respect towards the aged, the notable change in the character and calibre of our senators, college presidents and ministers of the gospel is, and are, assuming proportions which urgently demand concerted national action.

The writer of this article stood recently upon the corner of Broadway and Forty-Second Street, New York, —that is to say I stood there myself —let there be no concealment in this thing—stood there and counted the clean shaven men who passed and the men with whiskers. Out of the first half million counted, only 4.19 per cent. had whiskers.

(The man that I counted as .19 had just a little fringe of fluff, don't you know, on his cheeks. It was hard to class him. So I called him .19.)

The same calculation may be made with the same results in any of the great eastern cities. It is not we one passes a line drawn through Fargo, Omaha and Galveston that whiskers reach 15 per cent. And this 15 per cent. line is moving westward! Ten years ago it was at Decatur, Illinois. It is not there now! In another ten years the line will have reached the Rocky mountains. In twenty years the entire nation will be clean shaven.

THE WHISKER IN HISTORY

The moment to act is now. It is time for the people to pause and realize what whiskers have meant to human civilization.

We turn to the records of history. Adam,—he had a dark, brown beard, slightly pointed. Noah,—he had a long white beard that reached his waist. Imagine Noah clean shaven and with his eyebrows darkened with black dye, and with little, beady eyes looking down under a straw hat! You can't? Of course not. And yet the man saved our whole race.

Nestor and Aristotle had white beards. Socrates's whiskers covered so much of his face that you could hardly see him through them. Caesar had a rough red beard. The Vikings had long side moustaches. So had Buffalo Bill, and Charles the Second, and Bret Harte, Grant and Lee wore beards. But these great precedents are being disregarded. All the dignitaries and leaders of today are fashioning themselves into the likeness of schoolboys.

Take the typical case of the college presidents. A generation ago the college president had a flowing white beard. It was part of his edulpment. I remember well the venerable gentleman who was the head of the University when I received my degree thirty something years ago. I shall always recall the profound respect that the students felt towards him. Yet it was not what the man said: it was the way in which he laid his snow white whiskers on his reading desk. This lent profundity to all his thought.

SPREAD OF A FATAL IDEA

It was, I think in the year 1892 that the president of a western college shaved off his whiskers and threw them in the Mississppi. The fatal idea spread. College president after college president was tempted by it. Then at this very juncture the invention of the safety razor—removing all danger to human life from the process of shaving—brought a clean shave within the reach even of the most cautious. The president of the modern college and his senior professors are not to be distinguished from their year students. Remove the whiskers and you remove the man. The whole stature and appearance of him shrink; his shoulders contract: his frame dimishes: his little bowler hat swallows and envelops his trivial skull.

The loss of scholarship is irreparable. Is it any wonder that Greek is dead, that Latin is dying and that the old time learning of the colleges gives place to a mere mechanical routine.

But most deplorable of all is the damage that is being done to imaginative literature. Here, for example, are a few quotations selected, quite at random, from the great literature of the past to show the close interdependence of personality and whiskers:—

"The Duke remained seated in deep thought, passing his luxuriant beard slowly through his fingers."
—Ouida

THE LITERARY BRUSH

Imagine what an impressive thing that must have been. The Duke could fake his beard and let it trickle slowly through his fingers like rippling silk. No wonder that the Duke could think, when he could do that. But all that can remain of that sort of passage in the books of today would run.

"The Duke remained seated in deep thought passing his fingers aimlessly through the air a foot from his face, as if seeking, groping, for something that he could not knd."

Here again is a selection from the poet Gray's magnificent description of a Welsh bard.

"All loose his hoary hair, his beard
Streamed like a meteor to the troubled wind."
—Gray, The Bard.

The splendid picture,—the bard standing in the wind with the sparks flying from his whiskers in all directions—is gone.

Or again, take Longfellow the opening lines of Evangeline:

"This is the forest primeval, the murmuring pines and the hemlocks
"Stand like druids of old with beards that rest on their bosoms."

What a pity to have to change this to read:

"This is the forest primeval, the round smooth trunk of the gum tree, "Looks like a college professor divested entirely of whiskers."

WHERE THE BEARD STANDS BY

In place of these noble pictures of the past we have nothing but the smooth-shaven hero of modern fiction with his soapy-looking face, hardly to be distinguished from a girl's. He may be seen on the cover of any of our monthly magazines. What can he do? He can **"press his clean-chaven face close, close to hers."** One admits, of course, that he has a certain advantage here. If he had whiskers he couldn't get nearly as close to her. But can he let his beard stream like a meteor to the wind with sparks of phosphorus flying off in all directions? Can he "pass his beard through his hand"? No. Can he stand like a Druid of old? He can't

As yet, happily, there are certain domains of our national life to which the prevailing degeneracy has not penetrated. The stage, the moving picture and the grand opera still hold their own. The stage villain still has his black beard. The Southern colonel still retains his mustachios. The scholar, the wise man, and the magician of the moving picture keeps his black skull cap and his long white beard The Wagnerian cast is as hirsute as ever.

But can the stage stand alone? It can not. Something must be done Fortunately . . . .

Fortunately for our civilization, the best section of the public is already becoming alarmed. An effort is being made. A number of big, warm-hearted men, and a quantity of great big, warm-blooded women are banding themselves together. This is a good sign. Whenever they do this—and it is what they always do—one feels that as soon as a sufficient number are all banded together something will be done.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL WHISKER

To my mind there is only one possible remedy—An amendment to the Constitution of the United States Something, of course, might be done with magic lantern slides, or with moving pictures, or by taking up subscriptions. But these things demand money and time. Amending the Constitution does not. Experience is showing that it is a very, very simple thing, demanding only, a little good will and forebearance as to which amendments gets through first. It is only fair that certain amendments now under discussion should have precedence.

The proposal sent up from Kansas for amending the Constitution so as to improve the breed of steers in the West, and the Illinois amendment for shortening the distance between Chicago and the sea, are both admirable. But when these are carried an amendment in regard to the restoration of whiskers should be the earliest of our national cares. Individual freedom has its limits.

It is **not** true that a man's whiskers are his own. It is **not** true that he has the right to remove them. John Stuart Mill thought so. But Mill was wrong. Every individual is but a part of society; and if his station is such that a flowing white beard is demanded by it, his duty is obvious. No one would wish to carry too far the supremacy of the State.

But a Constitutional provision of a temperate character imposing compulsory white beard on college presidents, ministers, poets, ambassadors and grand opera singers would take rank at once as equal in common sense and general utility with some of the most notable amendments to the Constitution of this Country.

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Broadcast Bill's Radiolays

By WILLIAM E. DOUGLASS



Our hired girl has left us, an' it's been put up to me to help out with the house work so as far as I can see since I'm a lovin' husband, I'll respect my fair one's wishes an' sweep th' porch, an' scrub th' floor, an' help her with the dishes. I might go on an' mention since it's spring house-cleanin' time she's given me that wholesome job of chasin' dust an' grime. An' then on top of all of this, a plenty goodness knows she had me in the cellar Monday washin' out the clothes. The skin's all off my knuckles, that's a sad fact to record I've learned by experience how to rub clothes on a board. Let's see, at first you spread 'em out, an' rub 'em good with soap an' then you rub th' dirt out on th' board, ain't that th' dope? I 'spose there's tricks to every trade at least that's what they say an' here's a new one fer you that I used the other day. To really do a washin' right accordin' to my notion that rubbin' action should express th' poetry of motion. An' while one is engaged in this essential occupation why not have an accomp'niment from some broadcastin' stations? The choice of music for this work must be exactly right an' then those rubber ear-muffs should be clamped on pretty tight. The one-step time was much too fast an' waltz time pretty slow but when they played a fox-trot then, the suds began to flow I kept time to th' music till th' clothes were free from dirt tell yu what, folks as a washer I kin sling a wicked shirt

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RADIO NEWS

RADIO BIG AID TO HEALTH CAMPAIGNS

Surgeon-General Cumming, of U.S. Bureau of Public Health Service, Lauds Wireless Co-operation in Fighting Disease Amongst the Masses of People in America

"Radio offers to the Public Health Service an unparalleled opportunity to render aid to a great mass of people hitherto inaccessible at a nominal expense," is the statement of Surgeon-General Hugh S. Cumming of the Bureau of Public Health Service of the United States Treasury Department, in appraising the value of this medium of communication in spreading the gospel of better health.

"The increasing number of government bureaus using radio during the past year is an evidence of the opportunity," continues the statement of the Surgeon-General. "Educational material has come to have a definite plan in the air, and plenty of evidence is at hand that health information released by radio is having a definite effect. School teachers have copied these broadcasts in shorthand and used them in schools. Local organizations have installed radio receiving sets in auditoriums for the purpose of receiving the information sent out by this bureau.

"The radio service has brought popular education into remote regions and has touched a group of people hitherto uninformed in health matters. Owing to present limitations on the printing and distribution of literature, the radio service has been utilized to an extent not possible by other means."

The newspapers and radio—powerful combination that it is—have been the mediums through which the Bureau of Public Health Service has reached an audience of approximately 68,620,100 persons in a period of less than two and one-half years. Space devoted by newspapers and periodicals to the "Public Health by Radio Information Service" has amounted to 78,390 inches. The value of this radio service figured at the rates charged by toll broadcasting stations, and the advertising rates charged by newspapers, amounted to about $361,127.00. This estimate does not take into consideration that news columns are more valuable than advertising space—in fact the former are not purchasable.

The dispersion of health information by radio was without a precedent until the Bureau of Public Health introduced such a service in December, 1921. Since that time approximately 2,362,250 words have been released through government broadcasting stations and co-operating commercial radio transmitting stations. During the last fiscal year, for instance, 158 lectures were prepared and broadcast. These talks embraced a variety of subjects ranging from "How Do You Sleep?" to a discussion of how to prevent typheid fever and similar ills. Probably the most lasting influence due to the broadcasting of health information is in the creation of a demand for literature on health—the Public Health Service having distributed nearly 2,000 pieces of educational material in response to requests from that great invisible radio audience. This is bound to react in the interest of a healthier citizenship.

After these various public health discussions are broadcast through radio stations the circulation of the material is further greatly enlarged by releasing the broadcast for publication in newspapers. Since December, 1921, there have been 2,562 press releases, amounting to 3,112,268 words. All told, according to clippings received by the Bureau of Public Health Service, the different newspapers have published 7,554 articles amounting to 6,294,878 words. In addition 1,712 letters have been received by this government bureau as a result of radio broadcasts.

At the present time twenty-nine broadcasting stations are co-operating with the Bureau of Public Health Service in the spreading of information relating to better health and disease prevention. Virtually the entire United States and Canada are blanketed by this broadcasting service. The Public Health Service has made an observation which may apply to other educational broadcasting services. This conclusion is contained in the following statement:

"While further expansion of this service is possible and desirable, owing to the fact that some of the radio stations are releasing these broadcasts on daylight schedules, with materially shortened range, the fact remains that there is scarcely a portion of the country which is not within range of one or more of these stations.

"Experience has shown that the best results have been obtained from stations in close proximity to the territory served. This is due to the increased reliability of reception Any extencions of the service in the future should be based upon this deduction and short-range stations, rather than long-range, should be utilized for conveying health information by radio."

MUSICIAN HEARD BY LOCAL FANS

Gunnar Narud, whom several Victoria radio fans heard when he broadcast a concert from East Pittsburg, through the Westinghouse electric station, is a master



in pianoforte solos based upon Argentinian tangos, some of which he rendered on April 16.

He was born in Christiana, Norway, where he was also educated. He has been on Buenos Ayres for the past few years, working with a radio concern there, and has established for himself an enviable reputation as a pianist.

He will be stationed at Buenos Ayres as the representative of the Westinghouse Electric international Company in the near future, following his sojourn in America, where he has been giving concerts at various places.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

FRIDAY, MAY 2

KLX—Oakland Tribune, Oakland; 509 Metres

From 8 to 10 p.m.—On this programme KLX will endeavor to respond to every request received up to and including Wednesday, April 30. It will be an "Old Favorites" night and the programme will be arranged according to requests received. Anyone who has heard and liked any artist, orchestra, Hawaiian troupe, speaker or dramatist may write to KLX immediately requesting the reappearance on this night of the artist or musical organization they liked best during some programme of the past, and every effort will be made to fulfill the request. On this occasion no effort will be spared to bring together the greatest array of talent ever heard from any broadcasting station.

KFOA—Rhodes, Seattle, Wash.; 455 Metres

From 8.30 to 9.30 p.m.—Classical recital given by James Hamilton Howe, dean of the American College of Music, assisted by the following faculty and students: Maude Pederson, Claire Turner, Mrs. Florita Munson-Wroten, Corinne Munson, Jean Black, Frank Burns, George McElroy, Mrs. Clifton Reid, L. F. Jones, Roy Deaver, Hazel Cameron, Ray Marston. The programme will be concluded with "Our Washington" (State song), sung by the entire chorus. The third instalment of the address on "Filtered Sunshine" will be presented by Erwin L. Weber.

KFI—Earle C. Anthony inc., Los Angeles; 469 Metres

From 4.45 to 5.15 p.m.—Evening Herald news bulletins.

5.15 to 5.45 p.m.—Examiner news bulletins. Talks by Dr. Charles F. Kennedy, foot specialist. Dr. L. V. Harvey, "Forest Fires and Camping."

From 6.45 to 7.30 p.m.—Concert.

From 8 to 9 p.m.—Evening Herald concert. Concert presented by the Dictograph Products Corporation. Milly Millstein and Bob Horwitz singing and playing their own compositions.

From 9 to 10 p.m.—Examiner concert. Programme presented by the Department of Public Service.

From 10 to 11 p.m.—Vocal and instrumental concert.

From 11 to 12 midnight—Ambassador-Max Fischer Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles; 395 Metres

From 6 to 6.30 p.m.—Art Hickman's Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

From 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.—Music memory contest conducted by Fitzgerald Music Company. Prof. Walter Sylvester Hertzog. Programme through the courtesy of Barker Brothers. Weekly visit of Richard Headrick, screen juvenile. Bedtime story by Uncle John.

From 8 to 10 p.m.—Programme presented through the courtesy of Barker Brothers.

At 10 to 11 p.m.—Art Hickman's Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

KPO—Hale Bros'. Radio Station, San Francisco; 423 Metres

From 4.30 to 5.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra, broadcast by wire telephony.

WBAP—Star-Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas; 476 Metres

From 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.—Concert by Texas Christian University under arrangement of Prof. H. D. Guelick, head of school of music.

From 7.30 to 8.45 p.m.—Concert by Fred Wagner and his Hawaiian steel guitar players.

KGW—Morning Oregonian, Portland; 492 Metres

At 8 p.m.—Lecture provided by Portland School of Social Work.

At 10.30 p.m.—Hoot Owls.

KPAC—Washington State College, Pullman, Wash.; 330 Metres.

From 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.—Vagabonds Orchestra; Leighton Bailey, Spokane, leader. Farmp Crops. C. L. Vincent. Is the Pacifist Right? Rev. Clay Palmer.

Fontaine Fox Gave Up Literature For Cartooning

By WESLEY W. STOUT

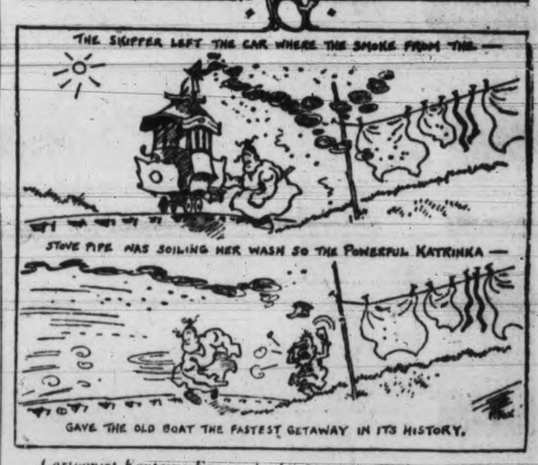
Fontaine Fox, whose cartoons will appear in The Victoria Times hereafter, wanted to be a writer, and had no gift for drawing, according to his telling.

Out of high school Fox went to work with high journalistic ideals which survived the better part of a week. He was given what was known in the Louisville Herald city room as the "West End run." That is, he made his headquarters in the reporters' room at City Hall, called on a few undertakers, justices of the peace, and politicians, and waited for telephone calls from the city editor.

In practice he spent his time shooting craps with the opposition reporters. He learned, moreover, that scoops or beats were bad form. At 5 p. m. the reporters divided up their gleanings, each returning to his office with the same grist. This left small opportunity for independent effort by an ambitious cub.

Some one told him that a colony of men and women were conducting themselves scandalously on an island in the Ohio River just below the city.





Cartoonist Fontaine Fox, and a bit from one of his cartoons.

Islands being out of bounds, Fox didn't share his tip. Instead he hired a farmer to row him to the island.

On landing Fox said to the farmer: "You better wait for me here. I'm with the Herald, and I'll be going back as soon as I get this story."

A BLOW ON THE JAW

"Oh, you are, are you?" exclaimed a male member of the colony, and hit Fox with force and accuracy on the point of the jaw. This blow knocked Fox 51 per cent of the distance from literature to art.

Fox told the city editor, who told every one. A political reporter named Peters, with a robust sense of humor had Fox assigned to accompany him to the Churchill Downs race track. In the paddock Peters pointed out a large, hook-nosed person and said: "Get a good sketch of him, my boy."

The hook-nosed man was Ed. Corrigan, master of Hawthorne, a notorious camera smasher and sketch artist caner. Fox got in range and began sketching under the impression that Corrigan would be flattered. The sketch was almost finished before Corrigan noticed him. The Master of Hawthorne's cane just missed the artist's head. Fox dropped his pencil in getting away, but saved the sketch. Back at the office the sketch was praised as a likeness and the sketcher for his temerity. Fox confined himself thereafter to art.

"As a boy I had sketched as most boys do," he will tell you, "but I had no real gift for drawing and no thought of caricature. Instead, I had a very real desire to write, forced myself later on to a stiff course of reading as a preparation, and worked much harder at it than I ever did at drawing.

"I attracted enough notice after several years to get an offer from the Chicago Post. John T. McCutcheon was in his zenith then, and had begun the revolution of the newspaper cartoon by introducing boy life and other homely topics. To try to follow McCutcheon on boys was thought nothing less than heresy. But McCutcheon's boys were of the village and the farm. I had been brought up on the outskirts of Louisville in a different environment. McCutcheon's boys played on forty-acre fields; mine on vacant lots.

"In Chicago I began to evolve come stock characters, such as 'Thomas Edison, Jr.,' 'Sissie' and 'Grandma the Demon Chaperone,' but I wanted new, more and better ones.

THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY

"The Toonerville Trolley was one of these, and my most successful. It has been done in the movies, will be put into vaudeville next season and has been made into a toy.

"My wife says that I am the original of the Terrible Tempered Mr. Bang.

"'The Powerful Katrinka' is a combination of two cooks we had and a 'Dear Old Siwash' story of George Fitch's. One of these cooks, Sally, was a powerful Negress. She saved me more than once from Micky and his gang. The other was as stupid as Sally was strong. While I was trying to put them together I read Fitch's story of Ole Oleson, the giant Siwash fullback who while at the bottom of a heap of players suddenly had an idea. Why not simply get up the next time and carry both teams and the ball down the field for a goal? Which he did. That suggested making my strong woman a Scandinavian.

"Cartoonists are supposed to work by inspiration. I do not, nor any I have known. We get our background from our own lives. In my case the particular idea almost invariably is the result of the impact of two dissociated ideas, produced after much thought and experiment. I first noticed the trick in the stories of O. Henry, who, like a cartoonist, first thought out his climax, then worked back.

Cornet solos, W. P. Hanson, Michigan, N.D. Transferring Bees, B. A. Slocum. Instrumental selections. Highways of the Northwest and Their Condition—H. E. Phelps. Book Chat—Alice Webb.

SATURDAY, MAY 3

KPO—Hale Bros'. Radio Station, San Francisco; 423 Metres

From 1 to 2 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairment Hotel Orchestra, broadcast by wire telephony.

From 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.—Programme by United States Naval Station Band, Mare Island, California; Thomas G. Olaguez, director.

From 3.30 to 5.30 p.m.—Tea Dansant —E. Max Bradfield's Versatile Band, playing from the Palace Hotel Rose Room Bowl.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles; 395 Metres

From 12.30 to 1.15 p.m.—Special programme for Music Week arranged through the courtesy of R. E. Wales, presenting Gladys Blackwell Pickering, soprano, and Raymond Harmon, tenor.

From 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.—Matinee musicale.

From 6 to 6.30 p.m.—Art Hickman's Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

KGW—Morning Oregonian, Portland; 492 Metres

At 3 p.m.—Special musical programme.

At 3.30 p.m.—Children's programme. Story by Aunt Nell.

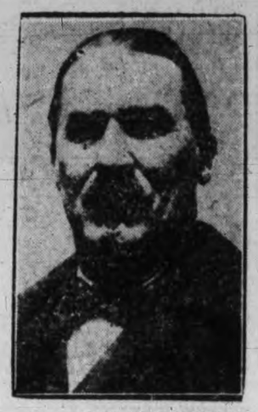
From 10 to 12 p.m.—Baseball scores and weather forecast. Dance music by George Olsen's Metropolitan Orchestra of Hotel Portland.



HOW WORLD RACE STANDS.—The relative position of the British and American planes in the round-the-world air race is shown in the above map, which illustrates the situation as it existed this week.



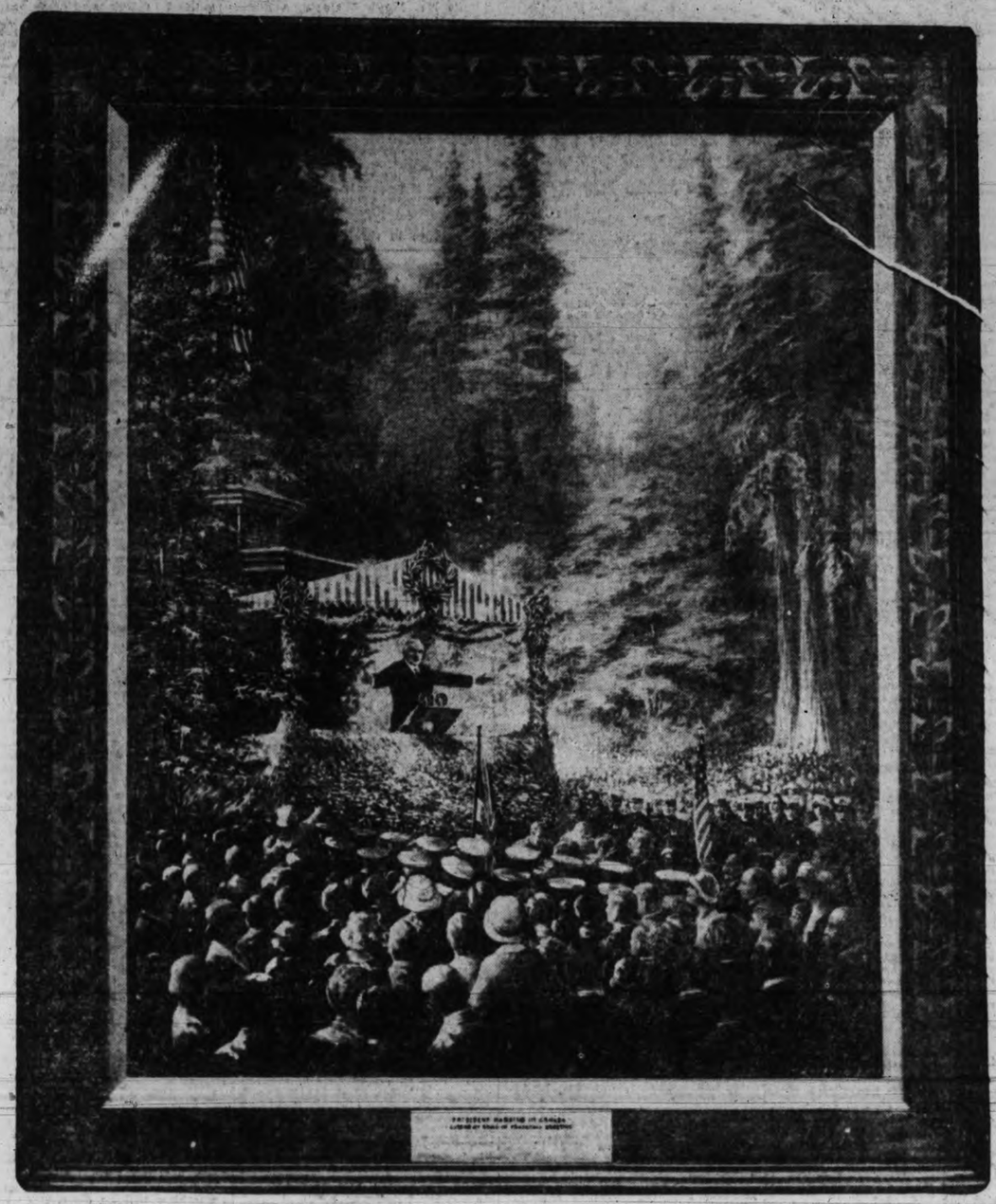
CONDUCTS BANK INQUIRY.—Chief Justice McKeown, royal commissioner investigating the Home Bank failure.



KING TUT'S DISCOVERER.—Howard Carter, co-discoverer of the tomb of King Tutankhamen, who on his arrival in New York announced that he expected to be allowed to reopen the sarcophagus this Autumn.



DOES NOT THINK MUCH OF JOB.—King Alfonso XIII., who, after twenty years on the throne of Spain, announces that he never would have willingly picked the job of king, but would sooner have been a soldier.



RECALLS VISIT TO B.C.—Here is a facsimile of a now famous painting, measuring six feet by eight feet, which is destined to play a role in the history of the nations of the North American continent. It is entitled "President Harding in Canada" and is from the brush of John Innes, a well-known Canadian artist. The painting was executed by this artist to the order of The Vancouver Sun, which paper, on behalf of the Canadian nation, has presented the canvas to the National Press Gallery at Washington, D.C., this month. It shows the late president addressing a large gathering in Stanley Park, Vancouver, last Summer. It has recently been on exhibit in Toronto.



ON INSIDE OF BANK DEALS—H. J. Daly, who was president of the Home Bank when that institution crashed. Details of Mr. Daly's personal transactions with the bank and the dealings of the "Daly companies" were brought out at Toronto hearings of the Home Bank probe.



LIKES FRENCH-CANADIAN IDEA.—Rev. E. E. Powell, chairman of the Toronto Board of Education, who considers Premier Taschereau's proposals for an educational conference between the two provinces and an exchange of teachers as "two capital ideas."



GIVES LONDON OPERA.—Sir Thoma Beecham at Albert Hall. An impression of the famous London conductor, who has laid England under an enduring debt of gratitude for his efforts to establish British opera, and who has spent in music the fortune left him by his father. Sir Thomas is here sketched by a London Tatler artist.





WED.—Lloyd Harris, financier and manufacturer of Brantford, and Mrs. Hone Hendrick Robertson of Toronto, who are to marry in New York this week.



RADIO BUG INVENTED THIS.—The radio piano will soon make its debut. The amplifier and loud speaker fit into the space occupied by the music roll holders. The set and batteries are concealed by sliding doors. The radio piano is invented by Maurice Krakauer Bretzfelder. Photo shows Miss Bert Siegel seated at the radio piano. The batteries and set can also be seen. The antenna is seen on top of the piano.

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG





INVITES PRESIDENT TO CANADA. — Miss Gwendolyn Lazier of Belleville chosen as courier to carry on horseback the invitation of Belleville's mayor to the President of the U.S.A. to attend the celebration of the 140th anniversary of the settlement of Upper Canada.



LEAGUE DEAD?—President Coolidge, who told an assembly of editors in New York that the League of Nations was dead so far as the United States was concerned.



GETS LONG TERM FOR GIRL ASSAULT.—Harold Godard, who was sentenced in Toronto to ten years in penitentiary for an attack on Miss Mary Duncan.



RESULT OF EIGHT-MINUTE GALE.—Fifty persons were hurt and $500,000 damage done by a freak gale that hit New Orleans, lasting but eight minutes. The photo shows four children in ruins.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, May 2, 1924

SELLING PRESSURE NEAR CLOSE

New York, May 2 (R. P. Clark & Co. Ltd.)—The market showed some slight further improvement and a very steady tone was maintained throughout. Short covering was again in evidence in some departments and some fresh buying reflecting recent constructive developments.

There seems just now to be two paramount influences which should have their beneficial effect on security prices. The reduction of the rediscount rate is a factor of far reaching importance, and although possibly its effect may not immediately be in evidence still it must sooner or later make its weight apparent. Then there is reason to believe that some real constructive developments will occur in the European situation as a result of the Dawes reparation report, and this of course is quite clearly a constructive argument on American securities prices.

In addition to the foregoing, and the fact that the stock market prices have doubtless discounted in full measure such slowing up in business which has taken place, it seems but logical to look for improving tendencies in the market.

ACTIVE MARKET LEADERS RETAIN THEIR STRENGTH

New York, May 2 (By B. A. Bond)—There were many strong features during the greater part of to-day's session of the stock features during the greater part of to-day's session of the stock market. Market leaders such as Baldwin, American Can, Studebaker, etc., were all higher early and Cast Iron Pipe was a strong feature after mid-session. Strength in the market is shifting from one specialty to another with leaders holding firm, very much the same as on the advance which started last October. Sentiment in favor, higher prices is gaining, with some of the big brokers who have been bearish for the past two months turning to the constructive side of the prices during the past two or three days. There was not much change in the rails and oils, although the tone was firm with a little more activity. The movement just now seems to be in the unusually active group and these have enjoyed three to five points advance, but do not show signs of liquidation as yet. There was some profit taking toward the close which cut down the days gains to small factions in most cases, but there was no pronounced weakness anywhere. Cast Iron Pipe closed within a point of the high and Savage Arms recovered most of its recent loss. It is quite evident that enough stocks have been bought to hold the market up for a week or ten days as it is hardly likely that stocks bought in sufficient quantities to check the recent decline would be sold on such a small advance.

VICTORIA STOCKS

Mining—	Bid	Asked
B'n'dary Red Mountain	$ ..	$ .20
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Coalmont Collieries	..	30.00
Consolidated M. and S.	34.00	..
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.02
Dunwell Mines	4.40	4.70
Granby Consolidated	14.00	..
Hazelton Gold-Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Gold Placer	..	.65
Howe Sound	2.74	3.50
Indian Mines	.20	.23
International Coal	.10	.12
Liberator Mining Co.	..	.05
McGillivray Coal	.65	.75
Premier Mines	..	2.50
Sheep Creek Cons.	..	.00¼
Silver Crest Mines	..	.02¾
Silversmith	.45	.50
Snug Cove Copper	..	.02
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	..	.24
Surf Inlet Gold	..	.17
Glacier Creek	.35	.40
Independence	..	.30
Rufus	..	.17
Terminus	..	.25
Eldorado (new)	..	.26
Oils—		
Athabasca Oil	..	.10
Boundary Bay Oil	..	.00 1-16
Empire Oil	..	.00½
Spartan Oil	..	.00¼
Sweetgrass	..	.00⅝
Trojan Oil	..	.06¼
Utility Oil	..	.00 1-16
B.C. Montana	..	.00 7-16
Miscellaneous—		
Allen Theatre preferred	..	25.00
B.C. Permanent Loan	97.00	..
Canada National Fire	..	51.00
Canadian Pacific Ry.	147.00	152.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	24.00
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	2.25
B.C. Marine	..	100.00
West. Can. Flour	..	100.00

ADVANCE IN GRAINS GAINS MOMENTUM

Chicago, Ills, May 2 (R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat: Contained buying by cash interests evidence of a better demand for spot wheat and the strong foreign cables all helped crystalize sentiment on the bull side of wheat to-day.

In addition the northwest reports were less encouraging and the conditions appear to suggest a reduction in acreage even greater than originally estimated on both sides of the lines.

Europe continues to absorb weekly quota of wheat which would have been thought staggering early in the season.

The much advertised world's surplus is rapidly fading away, and Europe appears to want as much as ever.

Canadian wheat is being ground in this country in bond, which means considerable of our wheat must also be used in addition, there is a little export business in drums. Our prices to-day advanced faster than Winnipeg, and we are close enough to an export parity to work a little business now and then.

Argentine shipments were nearly 7,000,000 bushels, but not withstanding this Liverpool was strong.

The possibility of a dock strike in Argentine should be included among the dull features, with increasing concern in regard to the legislative situation.

While shorts have covered freely, believe the present price move will go further before culminating.

Corn: An oversold situation in corn was made use of by the bulls to help them in lifting prices and they were exteremely successful. Prices were first affected by wheat, but later the market gained sufficient impetus if it won to score big advances.

Cash corn was steady to ½ cent off relatively, but sales were 90,000 and Duluth reported an active demand for cash corn which may be the forerunner of more activity in our cash market.

The market needs only a broader cash trade to carry the price movement upward still further.

Oats: Followed other grains and scored good gains. Cash sales were 100,000 bushels with the market steady. Receipts ninety-five cars. Crop news now favorable in the main. At this level we favor buying on the setbacks.

Lead Wall Street.

Chicago, May 2, (By B. A. Bond)—The grain markets gained momentum on the upgrade to-day. Wheat and Corn futures were more active than they have been for sometime. A cent was added to both grains and the close was at the day's highs. With the May deliveries out of the way there seems to be a better feeling although there are a few traders who look for wheat to sell closer to an export basis. Corn was well taken at the advance. The advance is very much the same as previous upturns of the past month or so and nothing spectacular is anticipated. Cash prices were a little better all around. There is no particular reason for the better prices. Pit conditions seem to be the only consideration.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	104⅝	105	104⅜	105¼
July	106⅝	107½	106¼	107⅜
Sept.	107⅝	108⅜	107½	108⅛
Dec.	110¼	110⅝	109⅜	110⅝
Corn—				
May	77¼	78½	77	78⅜
July	78⅜	79¼	78⅜	79¼
Sept.	78⅛	79⅛	78	79
Oats—				
May	46⅝	47⅜	46⅝	47¼
July	44⅜	44⅞	44⅜	44⅞
Sept.	40	40⅝	40	40⅝
Rye—				
May	63⅜	65⅜	63⅜	63⅜

TORONTO STOCKS
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Lake Shore	382	..
Teck Hughes	116	..
McIntyre Port	16	16¼
Hollinger Cons.	1255	1265
Newray Mines	30	31
Temiskaming	25	26
Wasapika Cons.	2½	3
Dome Mines	1615	1650
Prest E. Dome	11½	12
Vipond Cons.	108	111
Thompson Krist	..	4
Atlas	23¾	24
Coniagas	..	190
Goldale	18½	20
Argonaut Gold	48	49
Indian	20¾	21

RAW SUGAR MARKET
(By B.A. Bond Corp. Limited)

	High	Low	Close
May	4.40	4.32	4.33
July	4.57	4.40	4.42
Sept.	4.66	4.45	4.46
Dec.	4.26	4.13	4.13
March	3.63	3.56	3.56

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York Stock Exchange, May 2, 1924

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Bid
Rails			
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	101	100-2	100-3
Atlantic Coast Line	117-4	117	117
Baltimore, Ohio	53	..	52-7
Canadian Pacific	148	147-5	147-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	75-4	74-6	74-5
Chicago & Alton	..	..	3-4
Chicago & East Ills.	21-6	21-5	21-4
Chicago Great Western			4
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	14	..	14
Chicago Northwest	51-7	51-2	51
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	23-7	23-4	23-4
Do., 7% pref.	..	..	79-2
Do., 6% pref.	..	..	67-2
Delaware & Hudson	109		109
Del., Lack. & West.	114-4	113-4	114
Erie	25-1	24-4	24-4
Do., 1st pref.	32-7	32-2	32-2
Great Northern, pref.	56-7	56	56-2
Illinois Central	103		102-4
Kansas City Southern			19-6
Lehigh Valley	41-4	40-2	40-2
Louisville & Nashville	90-4	..	90
Soo Line			31-4
Miss., Kas. & Texas	11-2	11	10-7
Missouri Pacific	12-6	12-3	12-3
Do., pref.	40-6	40-2	40
N.O., Tex. & Mex.	114	..	113-6
New York Central	101-2	101	100-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hartford	19	18-4	18-6
Ontario & Western			16-6
Norfolk & Western	124-2	123	123
Northern Pacific	51-7	51-6	51-4
Pennsylvania	43-7	43-5	43-5
Pere Marquette	48	47	47-3
Pittsburg & W. Va.	42-2	41-6	41-5
Reading	53-3	53	52-4
St. Louis & San Fran.	24-6	23-7	20
St. Louis & S.W.	37	36-4	36-2
Southern Pacific	89-5	88-6	88-4
Southern Railway	53-7	53-2	53-2
Texas Pacific	27-6	27-4	27
Union Pacific	130-6	..	130-2
United Railways Inv.	..	..	8-2
Wabash	15-4	..	15-4
Wabash & "A."	45-2	45	45
Western Maryland	8-6	8-4	8-4
Wisconsin Central	..	..	35-4
St. Paul, pref.	24-6	24	24-2
Motors			
Chandler Motor Co.	45-4	43-5	44-2
Continental Motors	6-3	6-2	6-2
General Motors	13-7	13-5	13-5
Hupp. Motors	12-3	..	12-1
Hudson Motor Co.	23-3	23	23-1
Mack Truck	81	80-2	79-4
Maxwell Motors	42-2	42	40-2
Maxwell B.	11-6	..	11-4
Moon Motors	19-7	..	19-4
Packard Motor Co.	10-1	10	10
Pierce Arrow Motor Co.	6-6	6-5	6-7
Studebaker	84-4	82-7	83
White Motor Co.	52	..	51-4
Willys-Overland	8-6	8-4	8-4
Do., pref.	69-6	68	68
Nash	..	..	98
New Studebaker	33-7	33-2	33-2
Accessories			
Ajax Rubber	6-2	..	5-6
American Bosch Mag.	24-6	24	24
Electric Stg. Battery	..	..	56-4
Fisherbody	190-4		190-6
Fisk Tire Company	6-7	6-6	6-5
Goodrich Rubber	21-4	21-1	21-3
Goodyear Tire, pref.	..	..	42-4
Kelly Springfield Tire	16-4	15-6	15-6
Keystone Tire	..	..	1-6
Lee Tire & R. Co.	..	..	9-6
Stewart Warner Co.	67-4	65-6	66-4
Stromberg Carburetor	62-2	61-4	61-4
Timken Roller Bearing	35-4	35	35
U.S. Rubber	30-2	29-6	29-4
Hayes Wheel	36-1	35-4	35-4
Sugars			
American Beet Sugar	40-1	39-7	40
American Sugar Ref.	43-1	42	42
Cuba American Sugar	32-4	..	32
Cuba Cane Sugar	13-3	13-2	13-2
Do., pref.	58-5	57-6	57-4
Punta Allegre Sugar	57-5	57-4	57-2
Monati	..	..	57
Porto Rico	77-4	75-4	75
Tobaccos			
American Sumatra Tob.	12-4	12-3	11-4
American Tob. Co.	..	..	144-2
Liggett & Myers	..	..	61
R. J. Reynolds Tob. Co.	66	65-6	65-6
Tob. Products	58-3	57-1	57-2
Do., A.	85-4	84-4	84-6
Amn. Tob. "B."	140	..	139-4
Coppers			
Anaconda	32-4	32-2	32-2
American Smelters	63-7	63	63
Butte & Superior	16-2	16	16
Cerro de Pasco Copper	46-1	45-4	45-1
Chile Copper Co.	28	27-6	27-6
Chino Copper Co.	..	..	16-3
Dome Mines	16-2	16-1	16-1
Granby Cons. Mining	..	..	13-2
Great Northern Ore	27-5	27-2	27-3
Greene Cananea Copper	13-1	13	12-4
Inspiration Copper Co.	25-3	25	24-7
International Nickel	12-2	11-6	11-6
McIntyre Mines	15-6	15-5	15-5
Miami Copper Co.	21-2	20-7	20-6
Motherlode	8-1	8	7-7
Nevada Cons. Copper	13	12-7	12-7
Ray Cons. Copper	9-7	..	9-7
Tennessee Copper	..	..	6-7
Utah Copper	66-6	..	66-5
Kennecott	38-5	38	38
Magma	..	..	31-6
Equipments			
American Brake Shoe	..	..	78-1
American Locomotive	72-5	72-4	72-1
Baldwin Locomotive	113-5	112	112-2
Gen. Amn. Tank Car	40-6	39-4	40
Lima Locomotive	59-2	59	58-4
N.Y. Air Brake	39-6	37-4	39-4
Pressed Steel Car	49	48-4	48
Pullman Co.	117	116	116-4
Railway Steel Springs	..	..	110-4
Steels			
American Steel Fdy.	..	..	34-4
Bethlehem Steel	49-7	48-5	48-5
Crucible Steel	53-4	52-6	52-4
Gulf States Steel	69-2	67-7	67-4
Midvale Steel	..	..	27
Otis Steel	..	..	7-7
Replogle Steel	8-2	8-1	8
Republic I. & S.	46-4	45	45
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	56-1	55-6	55
United Alloy Steel	..	..	25-2
United States Steel	100	98-4	98-4
Do., pref.	120-1	120	120
Vanadium Corpn.	22-5	22-3	22-3
Oils			
Associated Oil	30-3	29-5	29-4
California Pete.	24-1	23-6	23-6
Cosden Oil	32-1	31-4	31-4
Houston Oil	66-6	65-5	64
Invincible Oil	13-1	12-7	12-6
Marland Oil	34-3	33-2	33-6
Mexican Seaboard	20-5	20-3	20-2
Middle States Oil	3-6	3-4	3-5
Pacific Oil	49-5	48-6	48-7
Pan American Pete.	48-7	48-1	48-2
Do., "B."	47-1	46-3	46-3
Phillips Pete.	38-7	37-6	37-7
Pierce Oil	2-1	2	1-4
Producers & Refiners	26-4	24-4	25
Pure Oil	23-2	22-7	23
Royal Dutch	55-4	55-3	55-4
Shell Union Oil	17-5	17-2	17-3
Sinclair Oil	20-6	20-2	20-2
Skelly Oil	23-6	23-4	23-2
Standard Oil—Calif.	59-7	58-7	59
Standard Oil—N.J.	36-5	36-1	36-2
Superior Oil	4-1	4	4
Texas Company	41-3	40-6	40-6
Texas Pacific C. & O.	..	..	10
Transcontinental Oil	4-2	4	4-1
White Eagle Oil	..	..	24-5
Industrials and Miscellaneous			
Corn Prods., new	34-5	34-4	34-3
Cons. Lea. pref.	40	38-4	38-6
Brooklyn Manhattan	15	14-6	15
Do., pref.	58-4	58	58
Fleischman	50-6	49-4	49-7
Allied Chemical	73-4	71-3	71-6
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	43-3	43	42-4
American Agl. Chem.	..	..	8-2
Amn. Agric. Corp.	21-7	21	21-1
American Bank Note	..	..	101
American Can	103-6	102-1	102-2
American Car Fdy.	158	..	156
American Cotton Oil	..	..	11
American Drug Synd.	..	..	4-4
American Ice	90-6	90-4	91
American La France	..	..	10-2
American Linseed	..	..	14-3
American Metals	..	..	42
American Radiator	97-4	..	97-4
American Safety Razor	..	..	6
American Ship & Com.	12-6	12	12-4
American Snuff	..	..	134
American Tgh. & Tele.	126	125-5	125-6
American Woolens	66-3	65-3	65-2
American Zinc Lead	..	..	7-4
Associated Dry Goods	92-4	..	92
Atlantic Gulf W.I.	16-6	16	16
Atlantic Refining	110-3	106	108
Austin Nicholls	21	..	20-6
Barnsdall "A."	..	..	15-4
Beech Nut Packing	..	..	48
Booth Fisheries	..	..	4-4
Brooklyn Edison	113	111-6	112-6
Brooklyn Union Gas	..	..	59
Brown Shoe Co.	..	..	44
Burns Bros. "A."	107	..	106-4
Burns Bros. "B."	..	..	22-5
Butterick	..	..	18-6
Calif. Packing	82	..	81-3
Callahan Zinc-Lead	..	..	4
Chic. Pneumatic Tool	83	..	82-2
Central Leather	12-2	..	12-2
Certain-Teed Prods.	..	..	25-4
Cluett Peabody Cp.	..	..	62
Coca Cola	66-4	65-4	65-4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	36-3	34-6	36-1
Comptg. & Tabg.	93-2	90-2	92
Cons. Cigar	15	14-7	14-4
Consolidated Gas	64-1	63-4	63-4
Consolidated Textile	3-4	3-2	3-2
Continental Can	48-2	47	47-3
Corn Products	173-6	172-1	171-7
Davidson Chemical	51	49-5	50
De Beers	..	..	21
Dupont Powder	121-6	120	120
Eastman Kodak	..	..	107-4
Endicott Johnson	59-1	..	58-2
Famous Players-Lasky	70-6	69	69-4
Freeport Texas	10	9	9-2
General Asphalt	36	35	35
General Electric	223-2	218-2	218-5
Hide & Lea., pref.	54	53	53
Industrial Alcohol	68-6	67-2	67
Intl. C'mbst'l Engine	23-6	23-4	23-4
International Harvester	85-2	84-7	84-6
Intl. Merc. Marine	9-5	9-1	9-4
Do., pref.	35-2	33-7	34-2
Intl. Paper	38-4	37-6	37-3
Iron Products	49	47-4	47-6
Jewel Tea	..	..	17
J. Kayser Co.	..	..	21-3
Jones Bros. Tea	21-6	20	19-4
Loews Incorporated	16-3	16-1	16-2
Martin Parry	..	..	34-6
Manhattan Elec. Supply	45	43-2	44
National Enamel	29	..	27-4
Montgomery Ward	23-3	23-1	23
Montana Power	..	..	62
May Dept. Stores	..	..	85-4
National Lead	132-6	130	129-3
North American Co.	22-2	25-1	22-1
Orpheum Theatre	18-5	18-4	18-4
Owens Bottle Works	..	..	42-4
Pac. Gas & Elec. Co.	..	..	52
People's Gas	..	..	92-6
Pittsburg Coal	58-4	58-1	58-2
Philadelphia Co.	..	..	43
Postum Cereal	50-6	..	50-6
Public Service N.J.	42-4	42-2	43
Reynolds Spring	14-1	14	13-6
Savage Arms	49-6	48	48
Sears Roebuck	83-6	83-2	81-1
Submarine Boat	9-2	9	9
Texas Gulf Sulphur	59-4	58-5	58-4
United Fruit	..	..	188
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	92-2	88	70-4
U.S. Realty	97-4	..	96-4
Virginia Chemical	1-7	..	1-7
Vivaudou Talc	..	..	7-5
Westinghouse Elec., xd.	56-7	56	55-6
Western Union	105-6	105-2	105-5
Wilson Co.	8	7-4	7-4
Woolworth Co.	3-9	3-8	315
Worthington Pump	..	..	25-4
Columbia Gas	36-2	36	35-7
Congoleum	38-7	38	38-4
I.R.T.	21-6	21	21-2

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, May 2.—The wheat market continued to show strength to-day, aided by a stronger Liverpool market and higher cables, together with an excellent buying power, and prices advanced in the session, the May future closing one cent higher, July ⅞ and October ¼ cent higher.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	102	102⅞	101⅝	102⅝
July	103⅝	104⅝	103⅝	104⅜
Oct.	101½	101⅞	101⅝	101⅞
Oats—				
May	38⅝	39¼	37⅞	38⅞
July	40	40⅜	40	40⅜
Oct.	39⅜	40	39⅜	40
Barley—				
May	62⅛	63¼	62⅛	63¼
July	62⅜	63⅛	62⅜	63¼
Oct.	56¼	56⅝	56¼	56⅞
Flax—				
May	211	215¼	210⅞	214⅜
July	210½	213½	210½	213¼
Oct.	190	190⅝	188⅝	190½
Rye—				
May	62⅞	65⅜	63⅞	65½
July	66⅜	67¼	66⅛	67¼
Oct.	66⅜	67⅝	66¼	67⅜

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 102⅞; 2 Nor., 99⅜; 3 Nor., 96¼; No. 4, 91⅜; No. 5, 85⅜; No. 6, 79½; feed, 73⅜; track, 102⅜.

Oats—2 C.W., 38⅞; 3 C.W., 37; extra 1 feed, 36⅞; 1 feed, 35⅛; 2 feed, 33½; rejected, 29⅞; track, 38⅞.

Barley—3 C.W., 63⅜; 4 C.W., 58¼; rejected, 52⅜; feed, 51⅜; track, 63⅛.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 215¼; 2 C.W., 210⅜; 3 C.W. and rejected, 194⅜; track, 214⅜.

Rye—2 C.W., 65⅛.

Montreal Stocks

(By R. P. Clark & Co.,)

	Last
Abitibi	56-4
Asbestos	25
Bell Telephone	127
Brompton Paper	56-4
Brazilian Traction	50-6
Can. Cement, com.	88-7
Can. Car Fdy., com.	45
Do., pref.	88
Can. S.S., com.	14-3
Do., pref.	50
Can. Converters	76-4
Cons. M. & S.	34-2
Detroit United	50
Dom. Bridge	60-4
Dom. Canners	24
Dom. Textile	55-5
Lake of Woods Milling	180
Laurentide Co.	86
National Breweries	49-4
Mackay Co.	112
Atlantic Sugar	15
Ontario Steel	42
Howard Smiht	45
Ottawa Power	84
Shawinigan	126
Spanish River Pulp	98-4
Do., pref.	109-6
Steel of Can.	74
Toronto Railway	84
Wayagamac Pulp	36

NEW YORK COTTON
(By B.A. Bond Corp. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	30.00	30.20	29.70	29.70
July	28.40	28.75	28.13	28.13
Oct.	24.58	24.75	24.35	24.35
Dec.	24.02	24.08	23.68	23.68
Jan.	23.70	23.70	23.35	23.35
Spot	....	....	....	30.15

Retail Market

Vegetables	
Garlic, lb.	.30
Cauliflowers .25 to	.30
Parsley, bunch	.05
California Head Lettuce, each	.15
Local Asparagus, lb.	.35
New Local Potatoes, per lb.	.40
Cal. Asparagus, lb.	.35
Cal. Strawberries, per box	.50
Cal. Green Peas, per lb.	.40
Cal. Canteloupes, each .25 and	.35
Hothouse Cucumbers, each .30, .25	.15
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, lb.	.50
Cal. Cabbage	.10
Mint	.05
Carrots, 12 lbs.	.25
Leeks, per bunch	.05
Tomatoes, Mexican, lb.	.35
Celery, California, head .20 and	.15
Sweet Potatoes, lb.	.15
Fruits	
New Navels .60, .50, .40 and	.25
Table Raisins, Spanish .45 and	.75
Dates, per lb.	.13
Bananas, dozen	.60
Lemons, Cal., dozen .20, .30 and	.40
Prunes, 2 lbs. for .25, 3 lbs. for .35, 2 lbs. for .45, and, lb.	.30
Turban Dates, packet	.15
Florida Grapefruit, each .10 and	.12½
Grapefruit, California, four for	.25
Apples—Okanagan—	
Newton Pippin	2.75
All kinds, 3 lbs. for	.25
Nuts	
Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.25
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, per lb. .25 and	.30
Filberts, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Coconuts .10 and	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.35
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
No. 1 Alberta, lb.	.40
Comox, lb.	.45
V.I.M.P.A., lb.	.50
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.48
Pure Lard, lb.	.18
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.35
B.C. fresh, firsts	.30
B.C. fresh, pullets	.28
Cheese	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.42
B.C. Solids, lb.	.25
Finest Ontario Solids, lb.	.28
Finest Ontario Twins, lb.	.30
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	.50
Gouda Cheese, lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, lb.	.75
Imported Parmesan, lb.	1.15
English Stilton, jar	.90
Stiltons, lb.	.35
Imported Roquefort, lb.	.90
Swiss Gruyere, box	.70
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75
Fish	
Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod fillets, lb.	.20
Halibut, lb.	.30
Soles, lb., .15; 2 lbs. for	.25
Black Cod, fresh, lb.	.15
Skate, lb.	.10
Cod, lb.	.15
Kippers, 2 lbs. for	.15
Finnan Haddies, lb.	.20
Smoked Black Cod	.25
Whiting, .15; 2 for	.25
Oolichans, 2 lbs. for	.25
Smoked Salmon, lb.	.40
Red Salmon, lb.	.35
White Salmon, lb.	.25
Shell Fish	
Crabs .15, .20 to	.25
Shrimps, lb.	.30
Oysters in shell, dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, pint	.90
Meats	
Pork—	
Trimmed loins, lb.	.30
Legs, lb.	.27
Shoulder roast, lb.	.20
Pure Pork Sausage, lb.	.27
No. 1 Steer Beef—	
Suet, lb.	.15
Sirloin Steak, lb.	.28
Shoulder Steak, lb.	.15
Porterhouse, lb.	.38
Choice Local Lamb—	
Shoulders, lb.	.27
Loins, lb.	.40
Legs, lb.	.40
Prime Local Mutton—	
Legs, lb.	.32
Shoulders, lb.	.30
Loins, full, lb.	.35
Flour	
Standard Grades, 49-lb. sack	2.10

Feed	Per ton	Per 100
Wheat, No. 1	$44.00	$2.30
Barley	40.00	2.10
Ground Barley	42.00	2.20
Oats	43.00	2.25
Crushed Oats	45.00	2.35
Whole Corn	46.00	2.40
Feed Corn Meal	48.00	2.50
Alfalfa Hay	34.00	1.80
Alfalfa Meal	46.00	2.40
Straw	22.00	1.20

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling — Buying $4.40; selling $4.43.

Japanese yen, 41.25 cents.

Chinese tael, 72 cents.

New York, May 2. — Foreign exchanges easy. Quotations in cents. Great Britain — Demand 438⅝; cables 438⅞; 60-day bills on banks 436⅛.

France—Demand 6.46; cables 6.47.
Italy—Demand 4.48⅛; cables 4.49.
Belgium—Demand 5.38; cables 5.39.
Germany — Demand (per trillion) 23¾.

Holland—Demand 37.41.
Norway—Demand 13.81.
Sweden—Demand 26.40.
Denmark—Demand 16.89.
Switzerland—Demand 17.79.
Spain—Demand 13.82.
Greece—Demand 2.10.

Poland—Demand .000012.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.94.
Austria—Demand .0014⅛.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.25.
Rumania—Demand .52½.
Argentina—Demand 33.00.
Brazil—Demand 11.30.
Tokio—Demand 40.
Montreal, 98 15-32.

Call money easier; high 3¼; low 3½; ruling rate 3½; closing bid 3½; offered at 3¾; last loan 3½.

Call loans against acceptances 3¼.

Time loans easy; mixed collateral 60-90 days 4¼ @ 4½; 4-6 months 4½.

Prime commercial paper 4½.

SILVER

New York, May 2.—Bar silver, 64⅝; Mexican dollars, 49.

London, May 2.—Bar silver, 32d. per ounce. Money, 1⅝ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 2⅝ per cent.; three months' bills, 3 to 3 15-16 per cent.

BIG PURCHASE OF LAND IN MANITOBA

Winnipeg, May 20.—An English syndicate has purchased 60,000 acres of land from the Mennonites at Winkler and Morden, in Southern Manitoba, according to an announcement made here by B. C. Johnson, of Stratford-on-Avon, England, representing the syndicate. The price is understood to be $1,600,000. The syndicate will pay $800,000 cash and turn over 13,000 acres of ranch lands in Mexico to the Mennonites.

Bellingham, Wash., May 2.—Between 200 and 300 members of the United Commercial Travelers of the Northwest opened a two-day convention here this morning. Delegates were present from Victoria, Vancouver, Everett, Bellingham, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane. Floyd F. Rice of Seattle, grand counsellor, presided, and wil instal the new officers to be elected to-morrow.

WILL GIVE PUBLIC ALL THE FACTS ON ELK LAKE SCHEME

General Meeting is Called For Next Tuesday

Todd Explains Progress Made to Date

Complete information on the Elk Lake Development project will be presented at a meeting to be called on Tuesday at which members of the Chamber of Commerce, aldermen and citizens generally will be invited to discuss the project. At the meeting held last night at the Chamber of Commerce it was declared that too much had been kept from the public and as long as the public were purposely or inadvertently kept without full knowledge criticism was to be expected. What has already been done and what it is hoped will be done, will be explained at the meeting.

Alderman A. E. Todd gave a brief resume of the progress since the council, supported by the opinion of a public meeting a year ago, had decided to go ahead with the scheme to make a golf course at Elk Lake Park and emphasized that all expenditures made so far had been fully authorized by the council.

All expenditures and actions taken had been with the approval of the Saanich authorities, and were perfectly legal.

In round figures $18,000 was required to complete the first nine holes of the course, he said. The sum of $12,500 had been expended to date, but that sum had covered the entire Elk Lake development and had not been confined to the golf course. Some of it had gone to improve beaches, build picnic facilities, and to provide accommodation generally for the public whether they played golf or not.

He reviewed the plan along similar lines as he had done at recent council meetings and repeated that a company had offered to expend $25,000 providing the city or citizens raised another $10,000 for the erection of a $35,000 chalet. This offer had been made with the understanding that the first nine holes of the golf course would be completed by May 24 of this year, but the company had ben advised to postpone the building because the city, by refusing to grant more than $7,878, had delayed the completion of the first nine holes.

NOT ALL GOLF.

Emphasis was laid on the fact during the discussion that all the improvements made at Elk Lake Park had not been made solely for golf links. In the talk on Elk Lake Park, the golf course had been uppermost and the other improvements for the general public were inclined to be overlooked. Beaches for the children, diving boards and facilities for swimming and picnic parties were all included in the project.

C. P. W. Schwengers, who presided, also pointed out that too much attention had been given by those criticizing the scheme to the golf links and not enough consideration to the other facilities that were offered. With the project so far advanced he thought it would be unfortunate if it were not continued.

E. J. Martin and J. Keith Wilson favored a campaign of education so that the people could become familiar with all the features of the Elk Lake Park Development plan and Mr. Martin suggested that the Council be asked to reconsider the whole matter in view of the small grant it had made. Major Cuthbert Holmes suggested that a visit be paid to Elk Lake Park and information be secured on the improvements that had been made and on the improvements contemplated in the area.

To-day's store ads are full of fashion news—describing and pricing all sorts of right things to wear, for all sorts of people.

BIG AUDIENCE DELIGHTED BY THE ARION CLUB

Famous Musical Organization Heard by Crowded Auditorium at High School

Whenever the Arion Club appears in concert there are to be found present many hundreds of its loyal, staunch and old-time supporters. Again was this in evidence last evening when an audience gathered that crowded the auditorium of the High School, this well-known club being heard in the second concert of its thirty-second season. The programme on this occasion included Felicien David's symphonic ode, "The Desert," which occupied the second part and some miscellaneous numbers in part one, these being Rudyard Kipling's "Recessional," with a somewhat dull and uninteresting music setting by Huntingdon. Woodman, merry number, "Three Flies" (Reginald Barrett), capitally interpreted, "The Sands of Dee" (by request), by E. Howard Russell, the honorary conductor of the club, all of which were unaccompanied, and the robust stirring and martial "Ode to March" (Waring Stebbins), accompanied at the piano by Ira Dillworth, the club's accompanist.

The ode itself, given at the many requests since its hearing last season, is born of an imagination, inspired and stimulated by a four years' sojourn of its author, the distinguished French composer (Felicien David, 1810-1876), so original, so subtle in construction, and so full of Eastern atmosphere, that at its premier met with "delirious" applause, and has since been included in the repertoire of all vocal organizations. It depicts Arab life in the desert, and from the opening bars of the weirdly long and sustained notes of the "strings," and the opening chorus, "Allah, Allah, I Praise Thee, I Adore Thee," to the final chorus of repeated praises and adoration, is wonderfully appealing and realistically Oriental. The ode is threaded throughout with a spoken part, descriptive and poetic, adding materially to its mysticism, this being clearly, effectively and beautifully enunciated by Mrs. Gideon Hicks. The tenor solos, "Night," "Reverie of the Night" and the "Chant" were artistically sung by George H. Guy, a member of the club.

ORCHESTRA LEND AID

Subscribing to the success of the evening in no mistaken fashion was the part taken in the proceedings by many members of the Victoria Orchestral Society, through Drury Pryce, its conductor, who on this occasion occupied the "first chair" of the orchestra, graciously confiding his forces to the baton of Mr. Russell. Admirable results were accomplished by the body of players, giving throughout splendidly enhanced values to the rendition of the ode, particularly in such numbers as the "March of the Caravan" and the "Arab Fantasia, beside furnishing contrast and delight in a well-played performance of Coleridge-Taylor's "Petite Suite de Concert," in its entirety. Those taking part in the orchestra were Drury Pryce, leader; Mrs. R. B. Bennett, Mrs. (Dr.) Forest Leeder and Miss M. G. Young, first violins; Mrs. F. G. Aldons, Mrs. P. R. Brown, Miss F. Parfitt and J. R. Birnie, second violins; Mrs. A. W. R. Wilby, Miss Duckitt and Jesse Longfield, violas; Gordon Shaw and Mr. Parfitt, 'cellos; W. G. Plowright, double bass; S. G. Pule, clarionet; L. C. Lytton, flute; I. Culcross, bassoon; G. H. Green, trumpet, and Ira Dilworth at the piano. As on former occasions, peculiarly, however, the first part of the programme, did not carry the usual enthusiasm noticed with Arion Club audiences, the vocalism, interpretative results and tonal effects were of a high order, and Howard Russell must again reecive the heartiest congratulations on the evening's achievements by all concerned.

SUGAR

New York, May 2.—Raw sugar, 6.15; refined granulated, 7.80 to 8.10.

BOND INVESTMENTS FOR MAY

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

DOMINION OF CANADA (Guaranteeing C.N.R.)	5%	1954	99.50
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	5%	1940	97.32
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	5%	1948	98.50
PROVINCE OF BRIT. COLUMBIA (Guar. P.G.E.)	4½%	1942	90.09
DOMINION OF CANADA (St. John Drydock Ltd.)	5½%	1935	102.25
CITY OF VICTORIA	5½%	1953	99.75
WEST VANCOUVER	5½%	1942	97.73
NEW WESTMINSTER	5%	1941	95.43
POINT GREY	5%	1961	94.50
PORT ALBERNI	6%	1933-43	100.00
FRENCH EXTERNAL	7½%	1941	98.00 (or Mkt.)
NEW AUSTRIAN (Guar. Great Britain and Allies)	7	1943	96.00 (or Mkt.)

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COMMENDS TARIFF AND TAX DECREASES

D. W. Warner, Progressive, Tells Commons He Supports Budget Proposals

Ottawa, May 2.—D. W. Warner, Progressive, Strathcona, Alberta, speaking in the budget debate in the Commons last evening, said he believed the budget was the first step toward a "satisfactory reduction" in the tariff for many years.

He denied the United States had prospered because of high tariffs. The great natural resources and the industry of the people, not the tariff, had built up that country. American farmers were beginning to see they were not receiving benefits from high protection.

Mr. Warner said the high cost of borrowing was driving many people in Canada to the wall. He thought the banks would be doing better if they loaned at four per cent. and had steady and reliable business than trying to get eight per cent. at a risk. In answer to a question he said he was not in favor of bank rates being fixed by statute. The banks should be able to regulate their own business.

LARGER BUSINESS

Passing to the cost of manufacturers, he thought these might better make reduced prices and do bigger business. Canadian manufacturers were suffering not so much from foreign competition as from the fact that Canadians could not afford to buy at present prices.

Increased protection would only make the prices still more prohibitive.

Farmers had to sell their wheat in the world market, and that regulated the price at home. Manufacturers threw up their hands in horror at the thought that they might have to do the same. But they were not in a different position, and they were selling implements overseas at a lower price than they were charging Canadians.

D. SPENCE SPOKE

D. Spence, Conservative, Parkdale, Toronto, said he found it impossible to congratulate the Acting Minister of Finance on his budget speech. He believed the Liberals had sold out to the Progressives, and would be known hereafter as the Liberal-Progressive Party.

It was "absolute rot" for the Progressives to try to compete with the farmers of the United States without protection. "Your minds are too narrow," Mr. Spence told the Progressives. "You are continually thinking about yourselves and no one else."

The West ten years ago had produced nothing but wheat, he said. It had taken butter and all sorts of dairy produce from the East. Now Alberta was producing the best butter in Canada and thousands of crates of poultry were coming to the East from the prairie provinces.

Soon they would be a mixed farming and industrial community, and then they would be calling for the tariff protection they now condemned.

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COMING EVENTS
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PRINCESS Alexandra Lodge No. 18—Rummage sale, 609 Fort Street, Saturday, May 3, ten o'clock. 1976-2-104

SCOTCH barn dance, Knights and Dames of the Thistle, Orange Hall, Friday, 8 o'clock. Scotch music. Refreshments. Gents 50c, ladies 25c. 1968-5-104

THE Scottish Daughters will hold a dance in the Rex Theatre Friday, May 2, at 8.45 p.m. Admission, ladies 25c; and gents 35c. Findler's orchestra. 1909-1-104

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THE two last recitals given by the pupils of Miss Heming will be held on Saturday, May 3, at 3 p.m., and on Saturday, June 7, at 8 o'clock, at the Victoria Club Rooms, Campbell Bldg. Admission free to anyone interested in piano teaching. 2010-1-104

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FOR SALE—English bicycle, three-speed, in good condition, cheap for quick sale. Phone 2987L. 1978-2-105

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A NUT bar special, Saturday only, 6 for 25c, at Poupard's. 19

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LOST—On Wednesday, April 30, on No. 6 car or on Richardson Street or on Moss Street, small black purse containing $10 bill, hatchkey and car tickets. Finder please phone 4687L. 1983-2-105

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WANTED, Summer cottage at Qualicum Beach, must have three bedrooms. Box 75, Times. tf-9

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Miss Vivian George has returned from Victoria to resume her duties as teacher at the Cowichan Lake public school. The district nurses were up to-day to inspect the school and found everything going on satisfactorily.

MINING NEWS

COAL OUTPUT

Output of the collieries of British Columbia for February was 211,965 tons and for March 202,930 tons. The March production was divided as follows: Vancouver Island district: Canadian Collieries, Comox, 25,236; Extension, 14,645; South Wellington, 565. Western Fuel: No. 1 mine, 23,097; Reserve mine, 13,056; Wakesiah mine, 11,522. Other collieries: Granby, 15,764; Nanoose-Wellington, 5,162; East Wellington, 4,130; King and Foster (old Wellington), 855. Total for Vancouver Island, 114,432 tons.

Nicola-Princeton district produced 19,491 tons as follows: Middlesboro, 5,767; Coalmont, 13,281; Princeton, 443. In the Crows Nest Pass district, Coal Creek colliery mined 29,846 tons of coal and Michel Colliery 32,161.

ELDORADO

Extensive development plans for the Eldorado mine, Salmon River section of the Portland Canal district, will be undertaken as soon as weather conditions permit, according to Thomas V. Wilson, consulting engineer, who was in Victoria on Monday.

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Starved Hearts

A SERIAL STORY

By MILDRED BARBOUR

CHAPTER LXVIII

A DIFFICULT INTERVIEW

Madelon went up to her room after Duane Farley had departed.

She felt unaccountably sad. It was hard to part with a friend of so many years' standing. As she had said, they were not likely to meet again, ever.

He was giving up his profession at a crucial time to take up a life of wandering. Restlessness and dissatisfaction were in his blood. The call of the road was drowning out the call of ambition. . . . Would be have heeded, if she had linked her life with his as he had wished?

Was his failure, his wasted life, to be laid at her door, too?

She thought, with a little bitter smile, that to love her was misfortune. She brought ill luck to all who cared for her.

Ah well, she would soon be put away securely where the jinx that followed her could not harm others. All earthly loves would be left behind at the convent doors.

She was preparing to disrobe when Masters tapped at her door.

"Mr. Barton is calling, Miss Madelon."

"Mr. Barton?" she echoed incredulously. "Oh, you must be mistaken!"

In spite of herself the color flew to her cheeks, her heart began to pound.

"It is the same gentleman who dined here the night Mr. Lane returned from New York," Masters insisted imperturbably. "He asked to see Mr. Lane and when I told him that the master was not at home, he suggested that maybe you might see him."

"Oh!" Madelon hid her disappointment bravely.

What a fool she had been even to hope. "I will be down directly, tell Mr. Barton"—she forced her tone to carelessness.

When Masters had gone away with the message, she took a long look at herself in the mirror, summoning all her faculties for the ordeal that awaited her.

She prayed that her pride would sustain her, that she would give Julian Barton no hint of what lay in her heart.

Her light step was scarcely audible on the thick rugs. Noiselessly, she pushed aside the draperies at the library door.

Barton was standing with his back toward her. He was staring fixedly at a large photograph of herself which stood, framed, on Lane's reading table.

As if he felt her presence, he wheeled about abruptly. A tinge of color crept into his bronzed face when he realized that she had noted the direction of his gaze.

But his manner betrayed no hint of embarrassment. He was quite cool and possessed.

"Pleased pardon this intrusion Mrs. Chandler," he said quickly. "I realize that the hour is late, but the fact is, I have some important papers which require your uncle's signature, and, as I am leaving town for a few days early in the morning, I took the liberty of bringing them around in the hope of finding him at home and at leisure. . . . You don't happen to know where he can be located, do you?"

She shook her head, smiling slightly.

"My uncle rarely confides his plans to me. Have you tried his clubs?"

"They were my first consideration, but he is at none of them. . . . However, if I may entrust the papers to you with the request that you ask him to sign them before he retires to-night, I can send a messenger around early in the morning and not disturb either of you further."

He offered her a legal-looking packet tied with a red tape. His courteously impersonal smile hurt her cruelly.

She accepted the packet silently. As she did so, their fingers brushed momentarily.

They both recoiled from the contact.

"I—I will see that the papers are ready in the morning," she stammered hastily.

"Thank you," he bowed gravely

There was a painful moment of silence.

She would not ask him to be seated, she told herself, stubbornly. She couldn't keep up the farce many minutes more.

"You are—er—happy to be at home again?" she asked, when the silence became unbearable.

"Quite, thank you," was his serene reply. "And you?"

She made a swift gesture of assent. The words wouldn't come.

"Do you not find it a great contrast to Hawaii? . . . You lived there quite some time, I believe, while Mr. Chandler was alive?"

There was polite interest in his tone. His handsome eyes were coolly impersonal.

She felt an overwhelming desire to shriek aloud, to do anything to break that maddening calm. She wondered if she were on the verge of hysteria.

If he would only leave!

"I loved Hawaii. It was beautiful—an experience that I shall never forget," her quiet voice gave no hint of iner turmoil.

"I am glad that you have been happly. . . . Sometimes it is best to listen to the advice of our elders, after all...isn't it?"

The significance of that sentence rang in Madelon's ears after he had bidden her a courteous good night and gone. Did it not mean that he was thankful Stephen Lane had once opposed their marriage?

CHAPTER LXIX

TWO HEARTS LESS LONELY

Ann rang Madelon up shortly after breakfast next morning.

"Come over for luncheon. I've something to tell you that will make you laugh yourself to death."

"If anything can get a smile out of me to-day, it will have to be good," Madelon replied.

"What's the matter?" demanded Ann. "Why so gloomed up on this heavenly midsummmer morning?"

"Oh nothing more than the usual—but why not start on my mirthful demise by telling me your news?"

"Not with Central listening in. Spare my blushes—but hurry over or I'll break my resolution. It's too good to keep."

Before she left for Ann's, Madelon went out to the garden to see little Stephen, was spading in the shade of a rosebush. While she lingered with him, Lane came out, walking briskly down the garden path, a new elasticity in his step.

He patted his son on the head, spoke genially to Madelon, and, breaking a rosebud from the blossoming bush, tucked it in his coat lapel.

Madelon was almost incredulous. How human he was! If only Barbara had lived to see the change which had been wrought!

She found Ann manicuring her own nails in her pretty chintz-hung bedroom. The warm summer breeze drifting in at the windows, fluttered the white curtains, brought the scent of earth and blossoms from the brightly blooming window boxes.

Ann wore a soft silk negligee. The eyes she raised at Madelon's entrance were strangely luminous. Madelon thought she had never seen her look so pretty or so happy.

"Sit down." Ann swept some scattered lingerie out of a deep chintz-covered arm chair. "Take off your hat and look at your future aunt!"

For a full moment Madelon failed to gather the significance of her remark, then—

"You can't mean—" she gasped.

A deep painful flush burned in Ann's plain, kindly face.

"I'm going to marry Stephen!—Now laugh—if you can!"

But Madelon didn't even smile, for there were sudden tears in Ann's eyes, despite her bravado.

Madelon slipped out of her chair and knelt beside her, her young arms stretched tenderly about the plump shoulders.

"Oh Ann, I'm so glad! You don't know how happy this has made me."

Ann released one eye from the friendly shelter of Madelon's shoulder.

"You don't think we're a couple of old fools?"

"I don't," declared Madelon decidedly. "I think you're both infinitely wise. You and Uncle Stephen are sure to make a go of it. You could make any man happy with your sympathy and tact. He's in the seventh heaven already. I might have suspected this by the way he acted this morning."

Ann was beaming.

"That's cheering news. I've been in doubt ever since I gave him my promise last night."

Madelon laughed teasingly.

"So that's where he was when we were trying to locate him—" she broke off and bit her lip vexedly. She didn't want to think of Julian Barton this morning in the face of Ann's new-found happiness.

"Who were 'we'?" Ann demanded.

Madelon hesitated.

"Ah-ha!" Ann's voice was triumphant. "So Julian was taking advantage of the cat's absence? But that's a foolish precaution. Stephen couldn't gainsay him after all he did for him in that Maitland case."

Madelon went back to her chair.

"You're quite mistaken. Mr. Barton's call was purely professional—he left some papers with me that required Uncle Stephen's signature."

Ann leaned over, and taking her chin in one hand, turned the downbent face up to hers.

"Now, out with it! What's the matter with you and Julian?"

"Nothing." Madelon insisted stubbornly, her eyes avoiding Ann's. "How could there be? We've met only twice since his return."

"You don't mean, asked Ann slowly, "that he hasn't told you that he's still mad about you?"

Madelon laughed mirthlessly.

"Hardly. On both occasions he has been painfully and freezingly polite."

"Umm!" Ann's eyes were thoughtful.

"Of course," Madelon went on proudly, "it doesn't matter in the least. It would be—er—awkward if he did care at all in view of my decision to take the vows."

Ann's eyes flew wide with amazement.

"The vows? You can't mean you're really serious about that?"

Madelon smiled quite calmly. "It's so fortunate that you are going to marry Uncle Stephen. That releases me from further obligation to him And little Stephen will adore you—I dare say Fate knows what she is doing after all."

To be continued

ALFRED CORBETT, OF COURTENAY, IS SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Courtenay, May 2.—Alfred Corbett was committed for trial at the conclusion of his preliminary hearing before Magistrate Hames here last night on a charge of having murdered his wife, Mrs. Celestia Corbett, in Courtenay on April 13. He was taken to Okalla Prison this morning, where he will remain until the opening of the assizes in Nanaimo on May 13. Nothing fresh developed out of the evidence. City Solicitor J. M. Mitchell appeared for the city; E. B. Harrison of Cumberland, for the Attorney-General, and F. Cunliffe of Nanaimo, for the accused man.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Uncle Wiggily's Telephone

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By Howard R. Garis

Down the telephone pole in front of Uncle Wiggily's hollow stump bungalow slid Mr. Kinkytail, the monkey gentleman. Mr. Kinkytail was the father of Jacko and Jumpo, the monkey boys, and Mr. Kinkytail always fixed broken telephones in Woodland.

"There, Uncle Wiggily!" chattered the monkey gentleman, as he brushed the slivers off his paws. "I think you will find that your telephone is working all right now. Just call up any number you please and try it."

"I'll call up my friend the Police Dog and listen to him bark," laughed the rabbit. Earlier in the day he had reported that his telephone didn't work, so Mr. Kinkytail had been sent to fix it.

"You'll find it all right now," said the monkey gentleman again.

"Hello! Hello!" spoke Uncle Wiggily, into his mended telephone. "Hello, Central! Please give me Carrots 1234."

This was the number of the station where the Police Dog was always on duty ready to catch bad animals.

"Hello! Hello!" soon a voice spoke back to Uncle Wiggily. "This is the Police Dog. Do you want some one arrested?"

"Ha! Ha! Not now!" laughed



Uncle Wiggily, "I just called you up to see if my telephone is all right."

"Bow-wow! Bow-wow!" barked the Police Dog and he, too, laughed with the bunny uncle. Then they rang off on the telephone and Mr. Kinkytail went on to mend the next one that was broken, which happened to be at the home of Mrs. Twistytail, the lady pig.

Now it was just about this time that the Bob Cat met the Bear, the Fox and the Wolf in the forest.

"Have any of you seen Uncle Wiggily?" snarled the Bob Cat.

"Yes," answered the Bear. "I was at his house about a week ago, and he made believe I was going to smell a bottle of perfume, but, instead, he gave me ammonia. And oh, such a pain as I got in the back of my neck! I can feel it yet!"

"Never mind about that!" went on the Bob Cat. "Have any of you seen that rabbit out in the woods? I want to catch him! If I saw him now I'd chase after him!"

"Why don't you go to his bungalow and get him?" asked the Wolf. "I ran past a little while ago, and Uncle Wiggily was asleep in his room."

"Why didn't you go in and get him?" asked the Bob Cat.

"Because Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy was there," the Wolf said, "and she had a broom in her paws."

"Pooh, I'm not afraid of Nurse Jane nor her broom, either," laughed the Bob Cat. "I'll go catch Uncle Wiggily!"

So the Bob Cat went softly and slyly through the forest until he reached the hollow stump bungalow. He looked once and he looked twice and he looked three times, but he didn't see Nurse Jane. Then he saw Uncle Wiggily asleep in his chair by the telephone.

"Ah, Nurse Jane is out!" whispered the Bob Cat. "I'm not afraid of her when she's out! I'm going in and get that rabbit."

So the Bob Cat crept into the hollow stump bungalow and was just going to grab Uncle Wiggily when the bunny awakened.

"Oh! Oh, what do you want?" asked the rabbit.

"I want you!" snarled tre Bob Cat. Uncle Wiggily blinked his eyes and twinkled his pink nose, and then he thought of a way to play a trick on the Bob Cat.

"I suppose you are going to take me away to your den?" said the rabbit.

"Yes," answered the Bob Cat, "I am."

"Well, before you do, please grant me one favor," begged the bunny.

"What is it?" snapped the Cat.

"Call up Carrots 1234 on my telephone," said Uncle Wiggily. "Just call Carrots 1234 and say I am being taken away. Then Nurse Jane won't be surprised when she comes home and doesn't find me."

"All right," said the Bob Cat. So, not knowing the number of the Police Dog, the Bob Cat called for Carrots 1234. Soon a voice asked over the telephone:

"What's the matter?"

"Uncle Wiggily is being taken away; that's what the matter," said the Bob Cat.

But right away the Police Dog knew what was going on. He knew it was Uncle Wiggily's telephone, and he knew it wasn't the rabbit gentleman speaking, but the Bad Bob Cat.

"Quick!" growled the Chief Police Dog to some other Police Dogs. "We must run quickly to Uncle Wiggily's bungalow. Some bad animal is there to take him away."

Off through the forest rushed the Police Dogs. And just as the Bob Cat was dragging Uncle Wiggily out of the bungalow, the Police Dogs reached the place.

"Bow-wow!" they barked. Then they bit and scratched and tossed the Bob Cat until he had to run and jump over the back fence and he didn't get Uncle Wiggily after all.

"I'm glad Mr. Kinkytail mended my telephone," said the rabbit a little later, when Nurse Jane came home. And the muskrat lady was also glad.

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WILL NOT CLOSE DISTRICT HALL

Victoria West People Receive Assurance From Council

Lively Discussion Occurs When Deputation Waits on Aldermen

That no attempt will be made to close the Victoria West Fire Hall until the underwriters' engineer has reported, was stated to a large delegation from Victoria West, which opposed the suggested closing of the district hall in that suburb, before the city council yesterday afternoon. The discussion was carried on with considerable acerbity, and George Oliver played the part of the candid critic.

PRESENTS MEMORANDUM

W. H. Price, secretary of the protest meeting on Monday morning, presented the resolutions adopted there. The vital decision was the motion to ask the council to suspend action until an expert with underwriting knowledge had had an opportunity to make a survey.

He read the list of signatories to the memorandum protesting the proposed closing of the hall. They argued that it would impair the efficiency of the fire department, increase the fire risk, and check the development of the industrial future of that area, which has shown great improvement in recent years. It was further argued that in case of a bad fire a large number of persons would be thrown out of employment. One fire might lead to many others, and instead of decreasing fire protection it would be necessary rather to increase it, in the opinion of the signatories.

In addition to industries, there was the danger to the homes, and to the Victoria West School, he argued.

"BY WHAT RIGHT"

George Oliver, a resident of the district, said he had come to speak for those who could not speak for themselves. He never believed it would be necessary to appeal for the defence of their homes. "I have come to ask you by what right you have to come into our area and take away our line of protection." He could not see it was the duty of the council to imperil them in that way. A lot of influential people had protested at the action taken, without any reference to the people most vitally interested. If ever they wanted it municipal prayer they needed it now. It should read, "Forgive them, for they know not what they do."

If the finances were so bad why did they find money for tourist bureaus and golf links? The issue was not one of wages, but of legislation. Some of the aldermen went over to the House to secure legislation, why should not the firemen do the same? If some of the aldermen went fire fighting, perhaps they would need hospital attention later. Instead of "going to the mat," they would perhaps find not merely a hospital awaiting them, but a funeral.

"You are too dangerous an element to be loose," remarked Mr. Oliver, who remarked that even the park would have been turned over to the Canadian Pacific Railway if the Victoria West Brotherhood had not prevented it. He said to them in all kindness: "Have some decency."

Was there any adequate water protection? He answered his question in the negative.

He concluded by expressing the hope that they would not be highway men, and steal what remained, including the fire hall.

INSURANCE RATES

Questions were asked with regard to the possibilities of insurance rates, and Mayor Hayward replied that an engineer of the Underwriters' Association was making a survey of the situation in the light of the present proposal.

Alderman Andros indicated that it was the normal condition of fire underwriters to expect increase of rates if fire protection service was decreased. Such was not to be cause of worry. The fire wardens, who had been abused at their Monday meeting, had not brought about the closing of the hall, but when it was determined the city must close one hall, Victoria West had been selected, thought the fire chief opposed the closing of any hall.

THE FIRE MENACE

The rapid increase in investments in Victoria West was notable. Rock Bay and Victoria West were the industrial life blood of Victoria, and to touch them was to take a dangerous act, said Mr. Price.

An increase of twenty-five per cent insurance rates in Victoria West and Rock Bay was threatened, Mr. Price said he was informed. All the debris on the reserve was still there, a real menace from the abandoned shipyards. Almost all the large industries had been burned out at one time or another, he pointed out.

F. E. Shakespeare said Victoria West had always been regarded as the future industrial site in Victoria, and what encouragement would there be if the fire protection was removed? The factory issue was very important, and it was essential that this should be safeguarded.

AN UNREASONABLE THING

Alderman Todd associated himself with the remark from the standpoint of protection. In Vancouver and New Westminster they knew what had taken place, and they also knew how the legislation was secured in the Legislature last session. He alluded to the many difficulties with which the council had been faced. In his judgment the Legislature had done "a very wrong and very unreasonable thing." They were getting on well with their firemen as it was, and they should not have been interferred with. The fire chief would tell them of the actual conditions of labor in the department, which the speaker asserted were better than those of the average workmen. The City Council had endeavored to check the passage of the legislation last session, but without avail.

What remedy had been offered to the council? Nothing, except that the council should await the report of the underwriter's survey. Perhaps that was the only issue offering a compromise.

"AVERAGE NEUTRALITY"

"The average neutrality" of the citizens had cost much, he asserted. In connection with the great cost of the Johnson Street Bridge, he charged the Victoria West Brotherhood, which Mr. Shakespeare represented, as having incurred an expenditure which absorbed money that would have paid for every year a golf links, increased the firemen's wages and do anything else they wanted. The ordinary average citizen had cost the city a great deal of money through his indifference.

OAK BAY HALL

In answer to a question from the audience, it was stated that the council could not abandon Duchess Street hall, having a contract which must continue for at least a year.

Mr. Price criticized the council for entering into a contract with Oak Bay when they had known for five months that the legislation had to be carried out.

Considerable discussion took place with regard to the situation as it had developed in New Westminster, where one hall is to be closed, and in Vancouver, where it is stated the council has abandoned the intention of closing halls, and will put the new system in force on May 4.

Alderman Marchant argued that eleven of the seventeen manufacturers who had signed the memorandum could be as well served by the Burnside hall as by Victoria West. The new bridge was a white elephant, which was feeding at the public treasury, and whose influence was felt in the increased debt rate.

He supported the firemen's application for one day in seven.

Alderman Dewar defended the firemen's application.



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Council is Invited to Take Advantage of Hospitals Act

In connection with the appointment of a representative on the advisory board of St. Joseph's hospital, which the city council has been asked to make in the immediate future, it is interesting to point out that the lieutenant-governor-in-council has power to fill the position if the municipal council does not act. His selection is absolute in connection with the choice of a representative of district municipalities, though no doubt a recommendation of a suitable man from the councils would be accepted.

There is no limitation against appointment of a member of the city council. This advisory board to which the municipalities may now secure direct access is an advisory, not a governing body, like the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. It has been suggested that the advisory board should be placed in the position of trustees, through incorporation, or in some other public manner.

The board is composed of a president, vice-president and second vice-president, a secretary-treasurer, the Mother Superior and two representatives of the provincial government.

The hospital is now technically recognized as a public hospital within the meaning of the Hospital Act, in connection with indigency, hence the desire for municipal representation in its controlling body.

The heavy mortgage on the new part of the hospital, the Humboldt Street wing, has not been lifted owing to the large amount of expenditure on caring for cases which would have fallen on the government and municipalities, for which the Sisters, until the recognition of 1923, received nothing owing to the indigency of the patients.

BEHIND BARROW'S STAND ON HORSES

Vancouver Board of Trade Endorses the Minister of Agriculture

Opposed to the Entry by Any Subterfuge

The Health Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade has passed resolutions endorsing the stand taken by the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, in opposing the entry of horses from Tia Juana into British Columbia. Two resolutions were passed. The first sponsored by Ald. Worthington, congratulated Hon. E. D. Barrow and other officials on their vigilance, and asked the Dominion Government to take the utmost measures for the protection of British Columbia. The question of the possible introduction of the disease by infection of fruit and vegetables was left with a committee to act.

The second resolution, proposed by Mr. George Cottrell, called on the government not to allow the importation of racehorses from Tia Juana by any subterfuge such as the route across Arizona.

City Hall Gossip

Attention to the condition of Carroll Street, Burnside, was called in a petition from residents, read to the public works comittee of the council yesterday, and referred to the chairman of the committee, Alderman Sangster, and Engineer Preston.

The bad condition of Mary Street, Victoria West, south of the E. & N. Railway track, a street visited by the committee recently, was the subject of reference at the public works committee. Allusion was made to the presence there of Ormond's biscuit factory, with consequent heavy traffic. The work will be proceeded with at a cost of $1,100.

A number of other minor improvements on Victoria West streets received authorization.

Four sections of wooden sidewalks which would require renewal on Oswego Street—$403 for a three-plank sidewalk—were reported. It was suggested that a petition for a permanent sidewalk should be circulated. Alderman Marchant stated that the owners should be asked to make a cash offer. The chairman was asked to look into the matter.

City Engineer Preston forwarded copies of letters with regard to bungalow construction in California, arising out of an application for the corner of Linden Avenue and Richardson Street side, in view of a desire to build eight houses there. The letters indicated that within the street line the subdivider took full responsibility for the road purposes. The town planning committee was asked to investigate the application.

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